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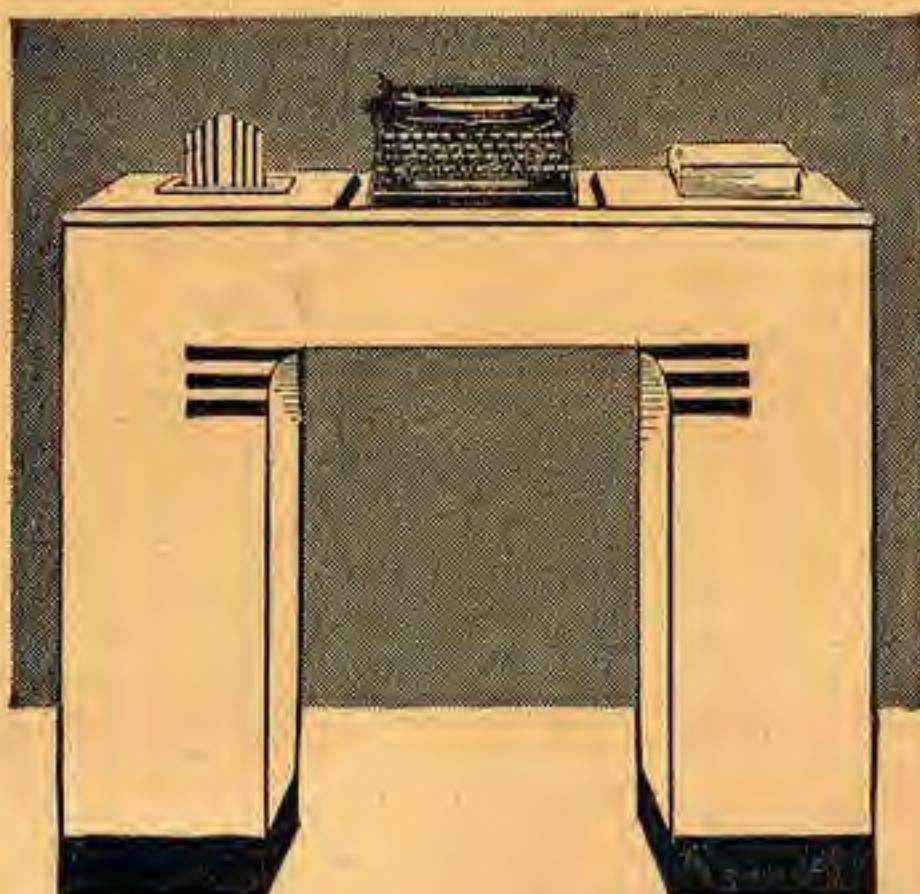
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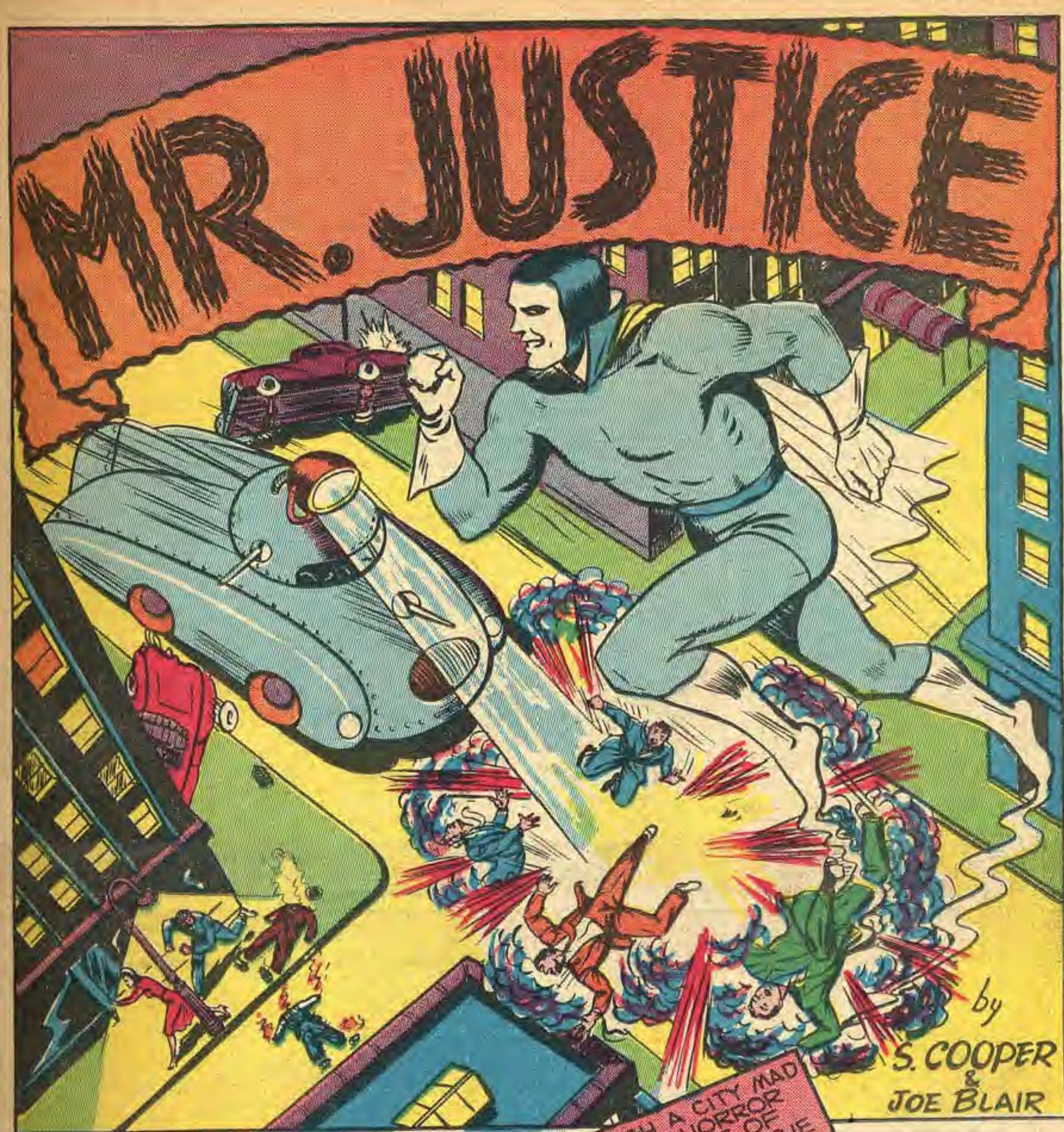
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TWO HUNDRED YEARS AGO, PRINCE JAMES, HEIR TO THE THRONE OF ENGLAND - WAS ASSASSINATED IN AN ENGLISH CASTLE. IN 1940, WHILE THE CASTLE WAS BEING SHIPPED TO AMERICA FOR SAFEKEEPING, AN ENEMY TORPEDO DETONATED SHIP AND CARGO TO ETERNITY - BUT IN SO DOING, THE SPIRIT OF PRINCE JAMES WAS RELEASED FROM ETERNITY TO RETURN TO EARTH ONCE AGAIN AS THE MOST BEWILDERING, THE MOST MYSTERIOUS FORCE THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN! A FORCE KNOWN ONLY TO MORTAL BEINGS AS THE INCREDIBLE MR. JUSTICE!!

THROUGH A CITY MAD WITH THE HORROR OF THE LIGHT OF DEATH, RACES THE FIGURE OF MR. JUSTICE!

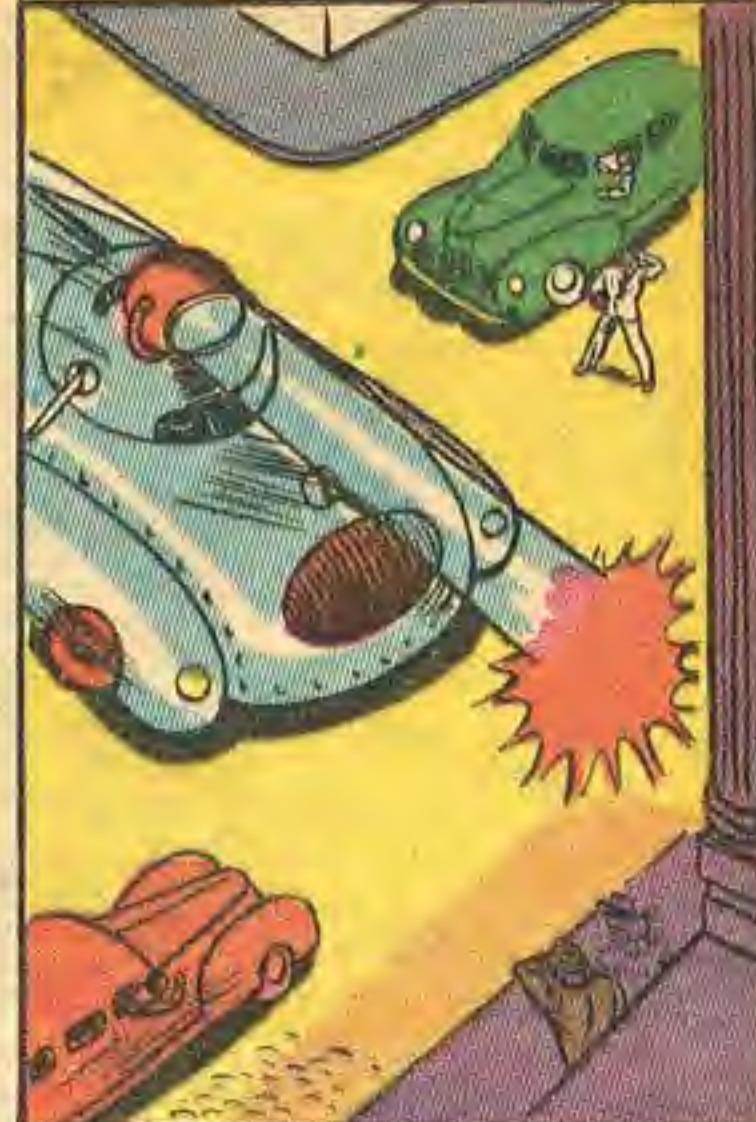


HELLO, SERGEANT! HEARD ANYTHING NEW ABOUT THAT MYSTERIOUS BAND OF BANK THIEVES?

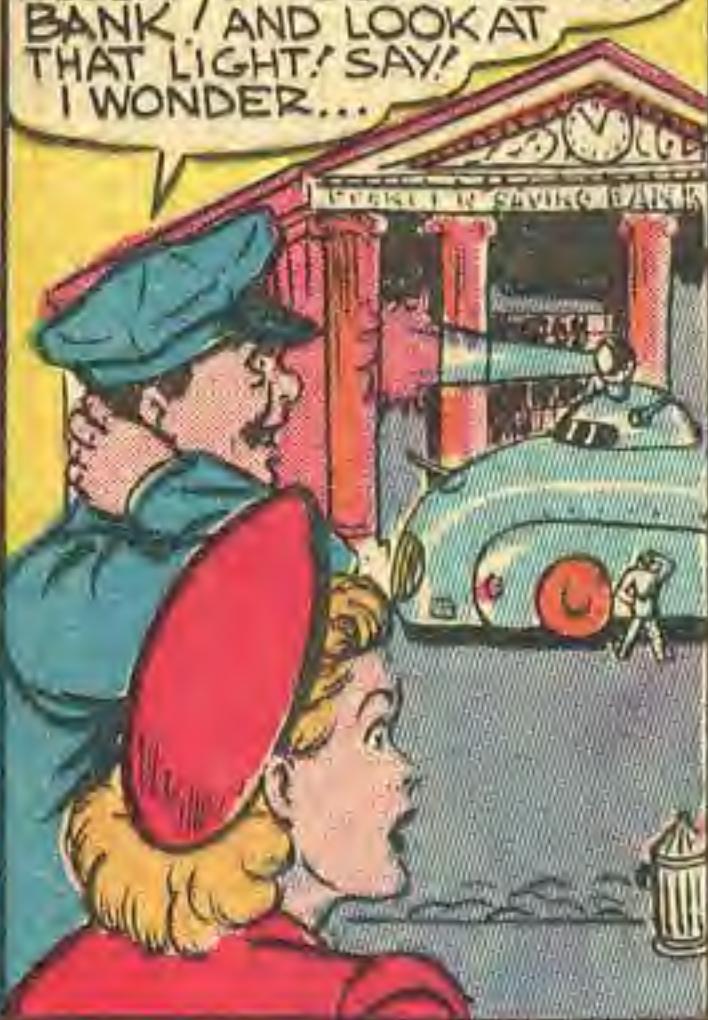
MORNIN' MISS CLARK! NO, WE'VE GOT NO CLUES AT ALL! IN ANOTHER PART OF TOWN THE MAYOR'S DAUGHTER IS ON A SHOPPING TRIP...

WH-WHAT IN THE WORLD IS THAT-THAT CAR?

SURE, AND IT'S LIKE NOTHIN' I'VE EVER BEEN SEEIN BEFORE!



FER TH' LOVE OF ___, IT'S PULLIN' UP BEFORE THE BANK! AND LOOK AT THAT LIGHT! SAY! I WONDER...



INSIDE THE WEIRD MACHINE



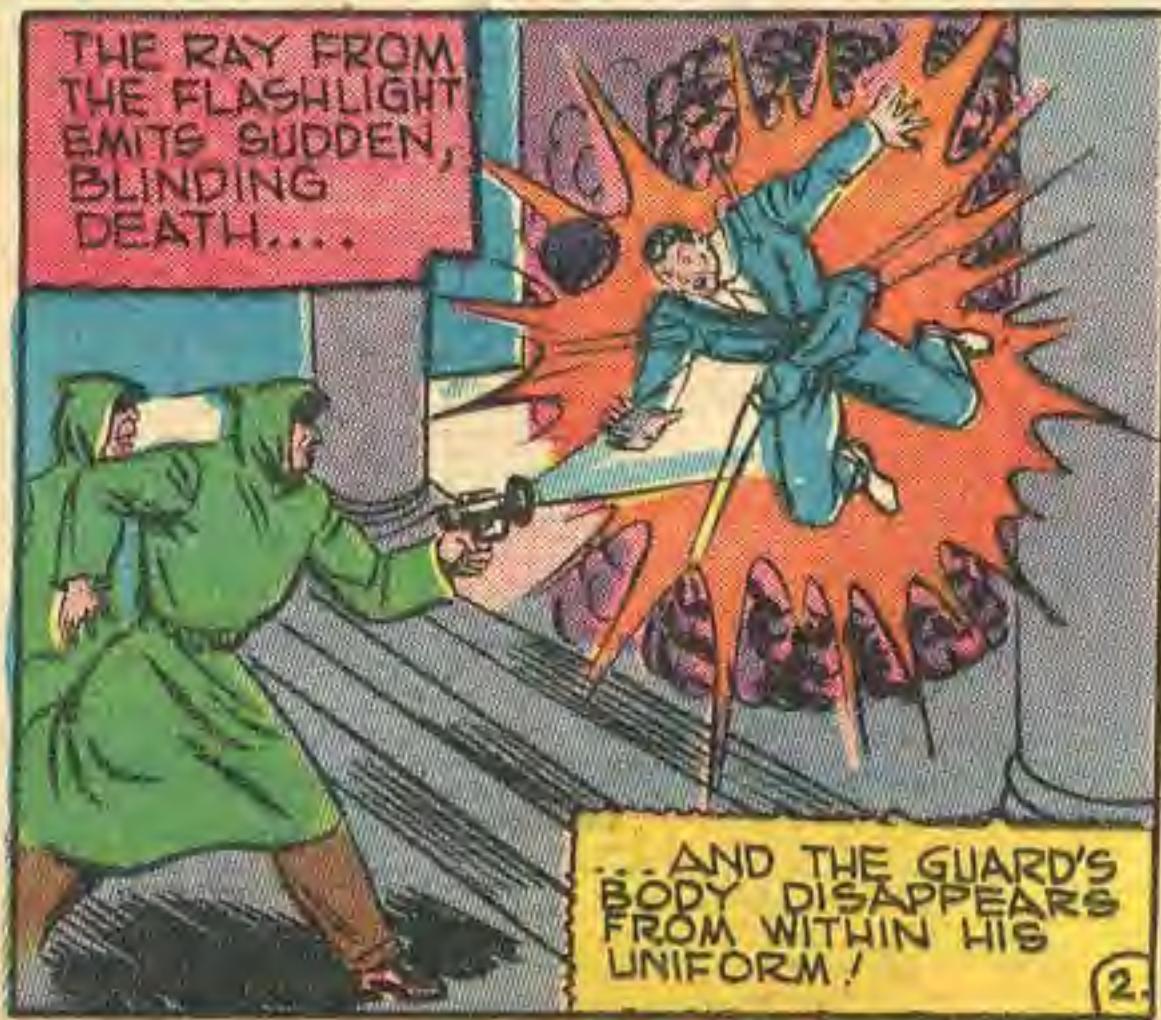
THE HOODED FIGURES LEAP TO THE SIDE-WALK!



THEY CHARGE UP THE STEPS TO THE BANK



THE RAY FROM THE FLASHLIGHT EMITS SUDDEN, BLINDING DEATH....



...AND THE GUARD'S BODY DISAPPEARS FROM WITHIN HIS UNIFORM!

MR. JUSTICE REVERTS
TO HIS MORTAL BODY
AND STROLLS AROUND
THE CORNER!



WELL! WHAT
HAVE WE HERE?
THAT'S THE MOST
PECULIAR THING,
I'VE EVER SEEN!

GET BACK IN THAT
DOORWAY WHERE
YOU'LL BE
SAFE!

THE SEARCHLIGHT SWINGS
AROUND TOWARDS THE
SERGEANT AND . . . !



NOW I GET IT! THAT
LIGHT IS WHAT KILLED
ALL THE WITNESSES
AT THE OTHER
BANK HOLD-UP!



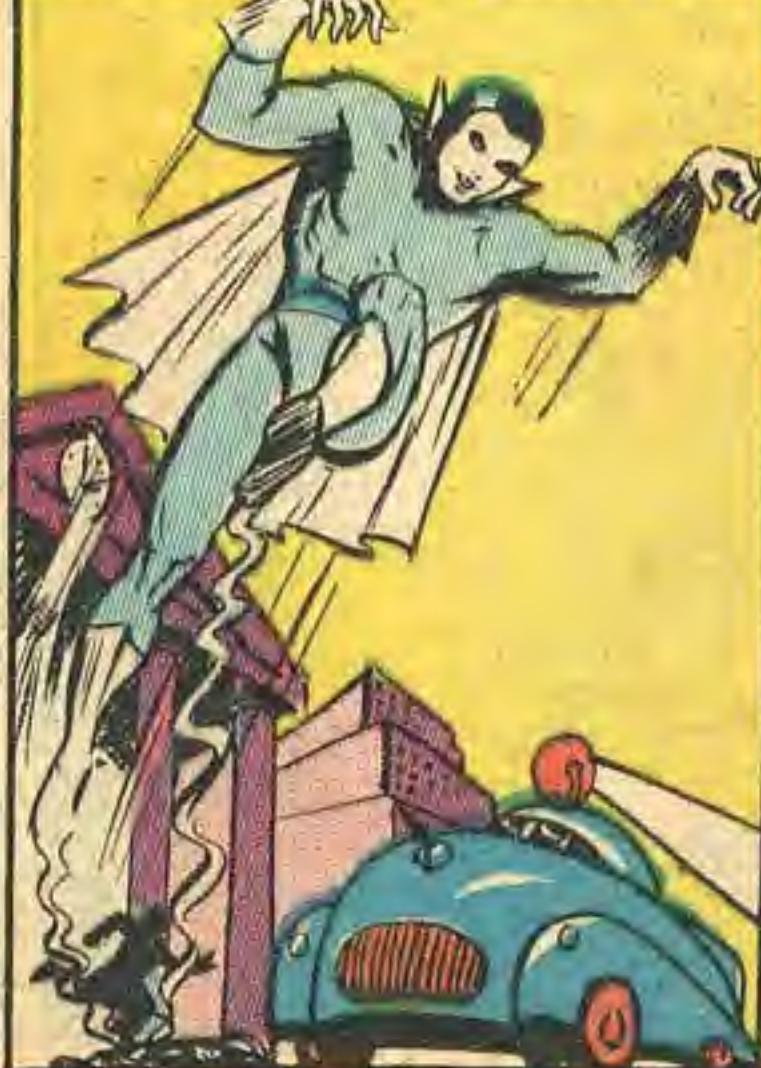
ONE OF THE HOODED
FIGURES FOCUSES HIS
LIGHT FULL ON MR.
JUSTICE!

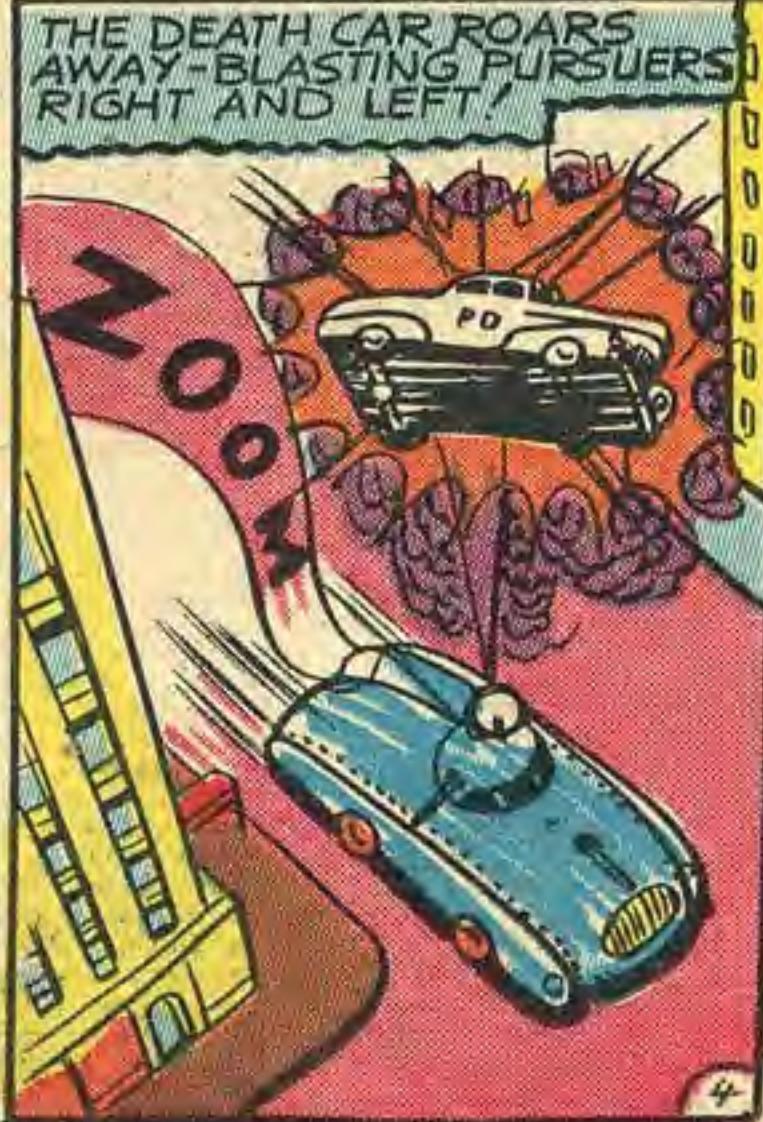


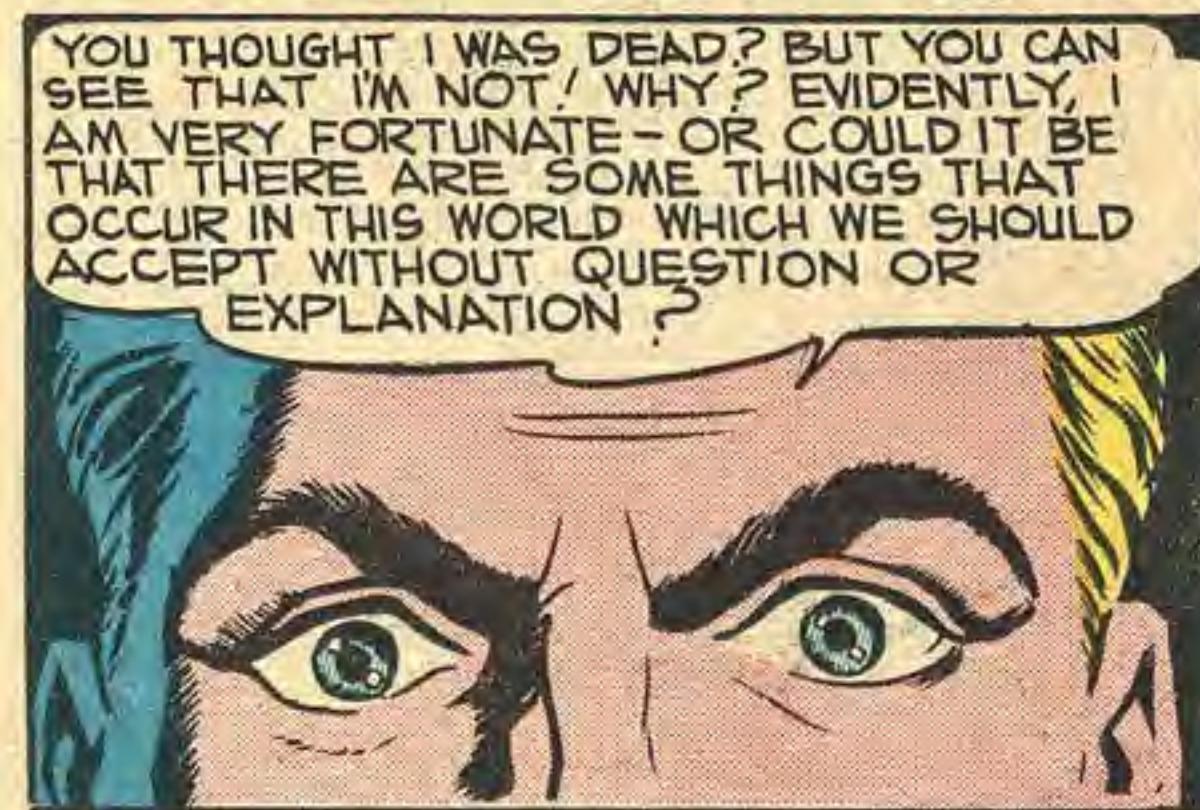
BUT AS HIS MORTAL BODY
DISAPPEARS



HIS SPIRIT FORM ARISES!!







IT'S GOT TO STOP, ROY! THE WHOLE TOWN'S HOWLING FOR MY SCALP! YOU'RE THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY- GET TO THE BOTTOM OF THIS DEATH LIGHT BUSINESS!

HELLO, DAD! MIND IF WE COME IN?

WH-OH! HELLO!

HOW ARE YOU DARLING?

DON'T ROY! I WANT TO INTRODUCE YOU TO MY FRIEND!

IN THE MAYOR'S OFFICE...

DAD, THIS IS MR. JUSTICE!

MR. JUSTICE? WELL, UPON MY WORD! GLAD TO MEET YOU, SON! BUT YOU'LL HAVE TO EXCUSE ME FOR BEING SO BLUNT-I HAVE MORE TROUBLE ON MY MIND THAN I CAN COPE WITH!

THAT CAR WITH THE DEATH LIGHT! - IT -

THAT'S WHY I BROUGHT MR. JUSTICE HERE, DAD! HE JUST SAVED MY LIFE! THE DEATH LIGHT WAS ALMOST ON TOP OF ME AND HE THREW HIMSELF IN FRONT OF IT!

I HATE TO BE INQUISITIVE, BUT IF YOU THREW YOURSELF IN FRONT OF THE LIGHT, WHY WEREN'T YOU KILLED?

FRANKLY, MR. DISTRICT ATTORNEY, I DON'T KNOW! PERHAPS I JUST HAPPEN TO BE LUCKY OR MAYBE I'M IMMUNE FOR SOME STRANGE REASON!

THE OFFICE COMMUNICATOR BUZZES.

A REPORT FROM POLICE HEAD-QUARTERS JUST CAME IN. THE DEATH LIGHT CAR IS HOLDING UP THE CITIZEN'S BANK ON THE EAST SIDE!

WOULD YOU LIKE
TO COME ALONG?
WE'RE GOING
TO THE
SCENE OF
THE HOLD-
UP!

NO THANKS! I THINK
I'LL STICK
AROUND
AND.....
ER.....
PROTECT
YOUR
DAUGHTER!

NOW THAT THEY'VE GONE, I THINK
I'LL LEAVE! I DIDN'T JOIN THEM
BECAUSE I HAVE A CLUE
I'D LIKE TO FOLLOW IN MY
OWN WAY!

I KNEW YOU HAD SOME-
THING PLANNED! I'LL
WAIT RIGHT HERE 'TIL
YOU COME
BACK!

GOOD! THERE'S
NOBODY AROUND
TO SEE ME!

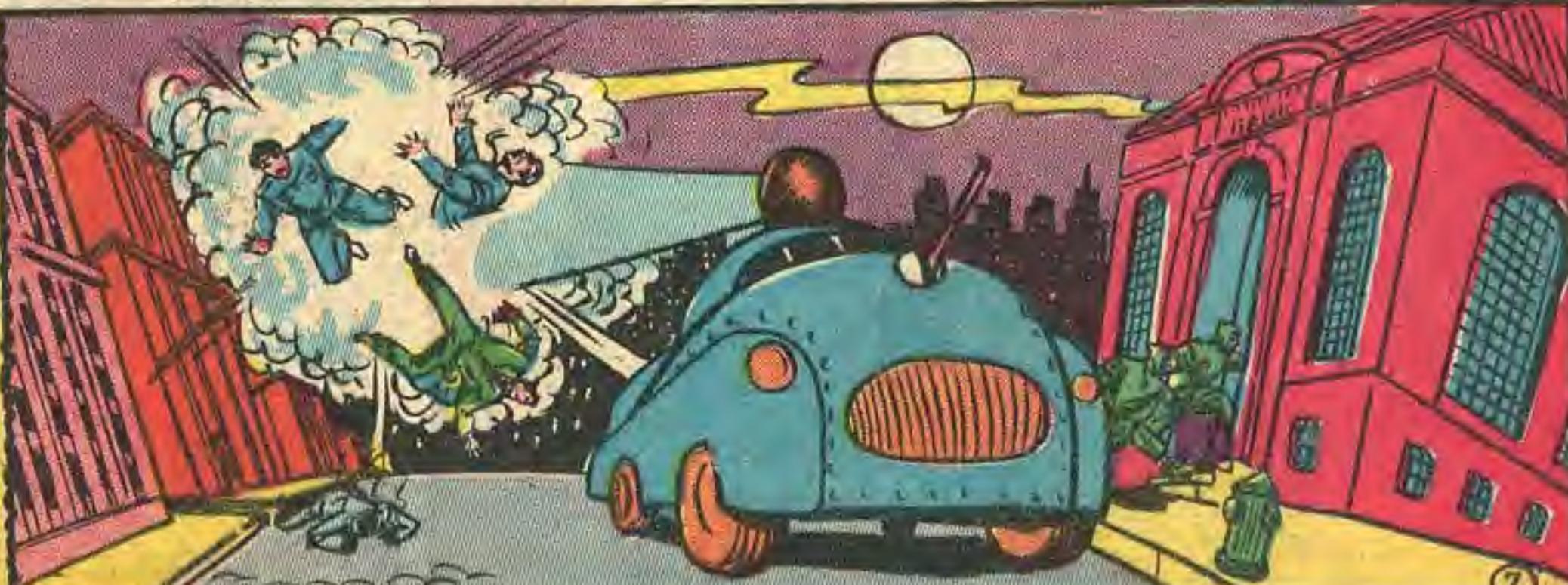
A CLOUD OF EERIE WHITE SMOKE AND.....

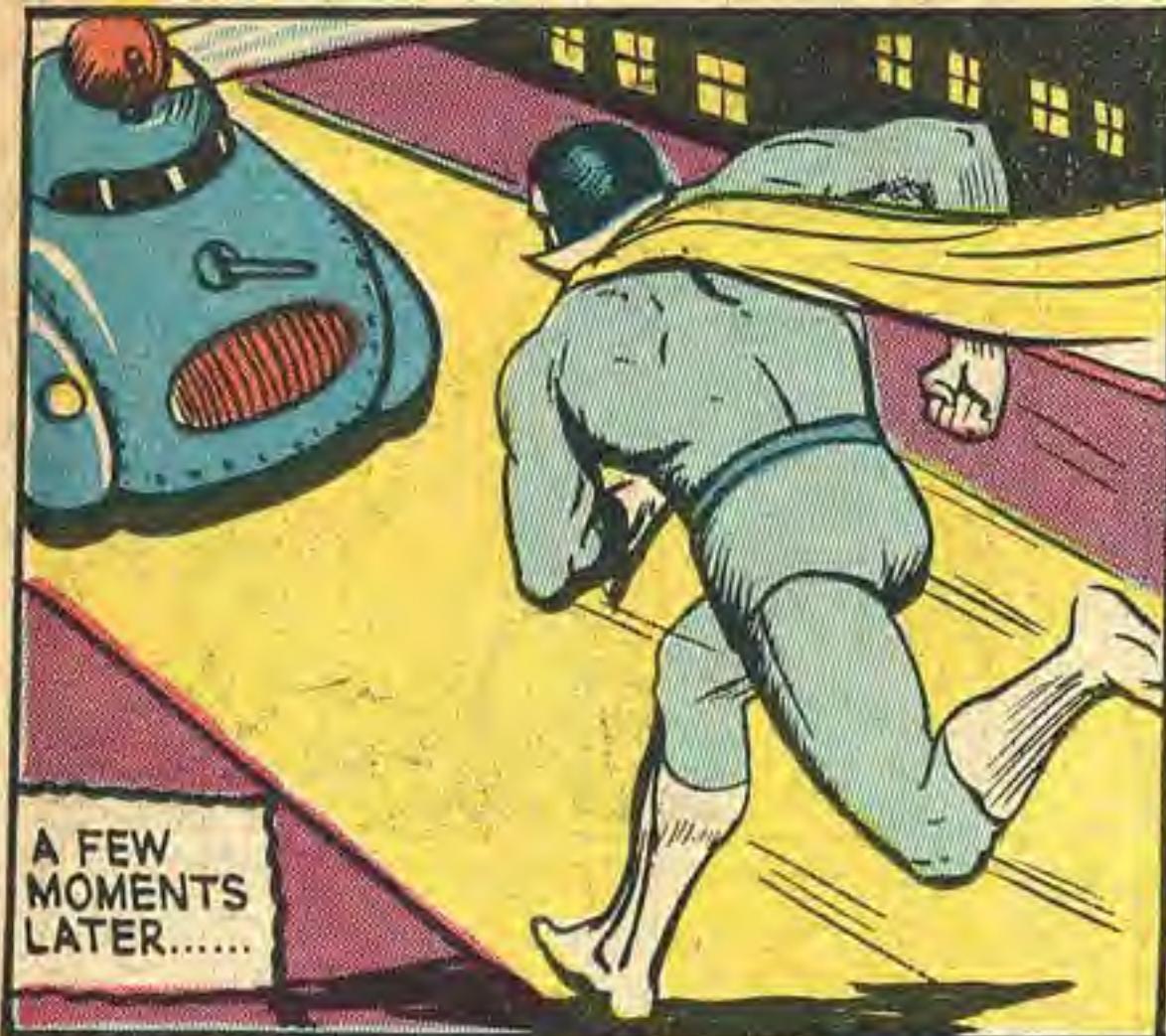
POUF!

THE SPIRIT OF MR. JUSTICE RACES HIGH
ABOVE THE CITY...



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LOOT
ANOTHER
BANK!





A FEW
MOMENTS
LATER.....



HEY! WHAT'S
THAT GUY
DOIN' OUT
THERE?

DON'T STAND THERE ASKING
FOOLISH QUESTIONS! TRAIN
THE SEARCHLIGHT ON HIM!

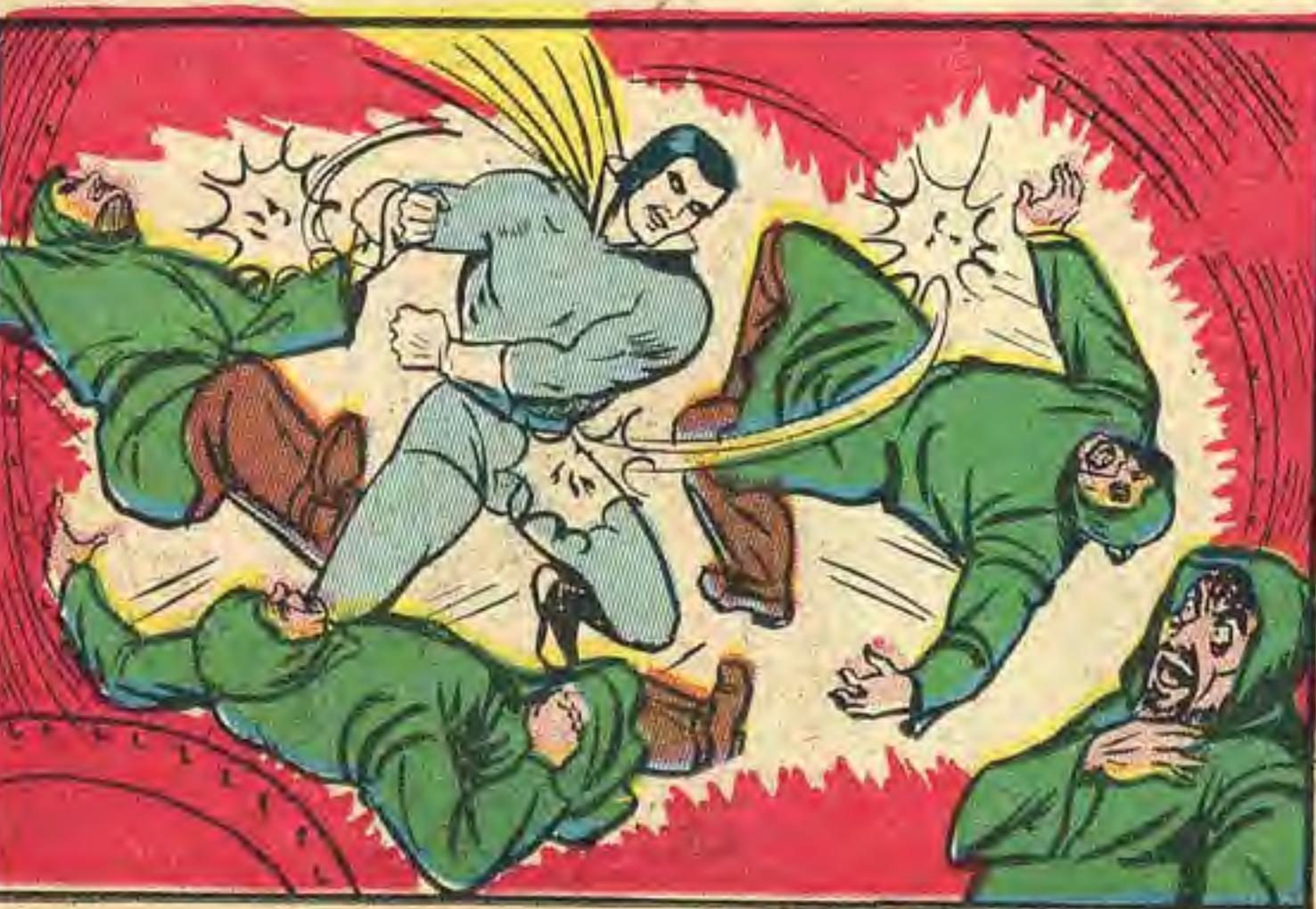
THE DEATH LIGHT HAS NO
EFFECT ON THE
GHOSTLY FIGURE!



WHAT ARE YOU AFRAID OF?
EVEN IF THAT—THAT THING
CAN'T BE KILLED, IT CAN'T HURT
US! SEE THAT THE DOORS
ARE SECURELY LOCKED!

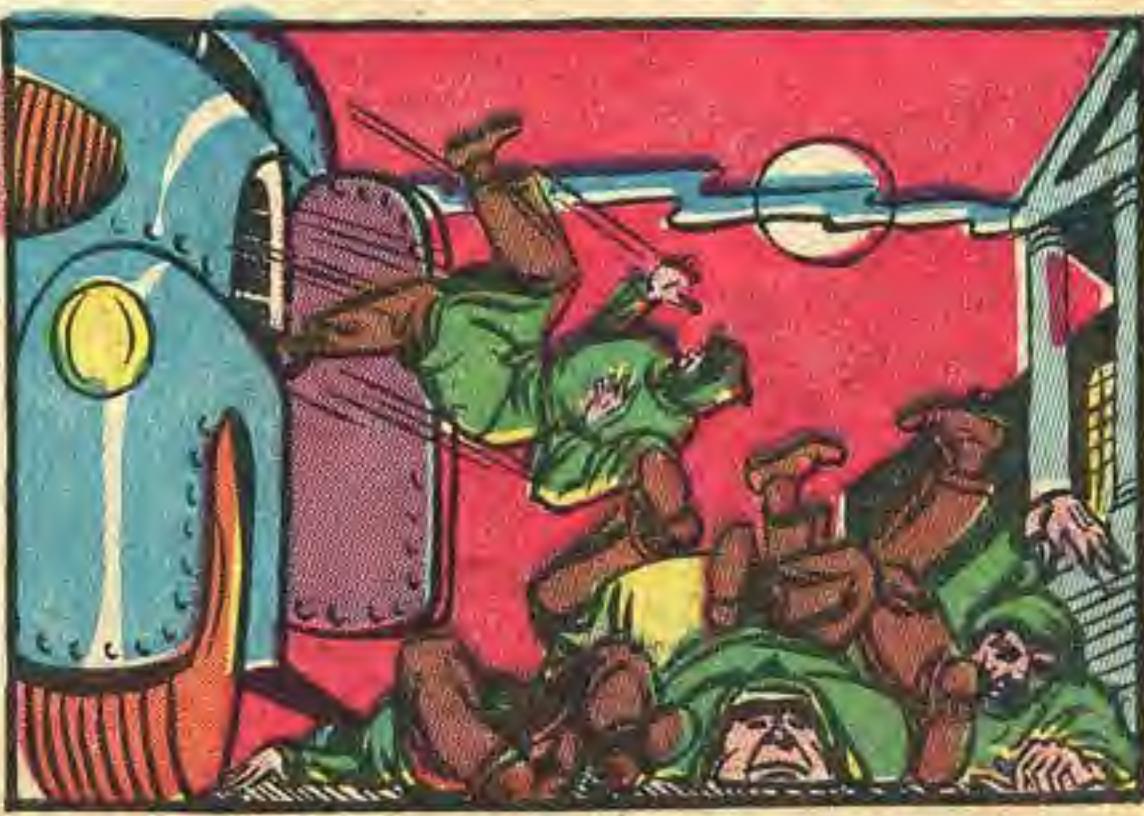
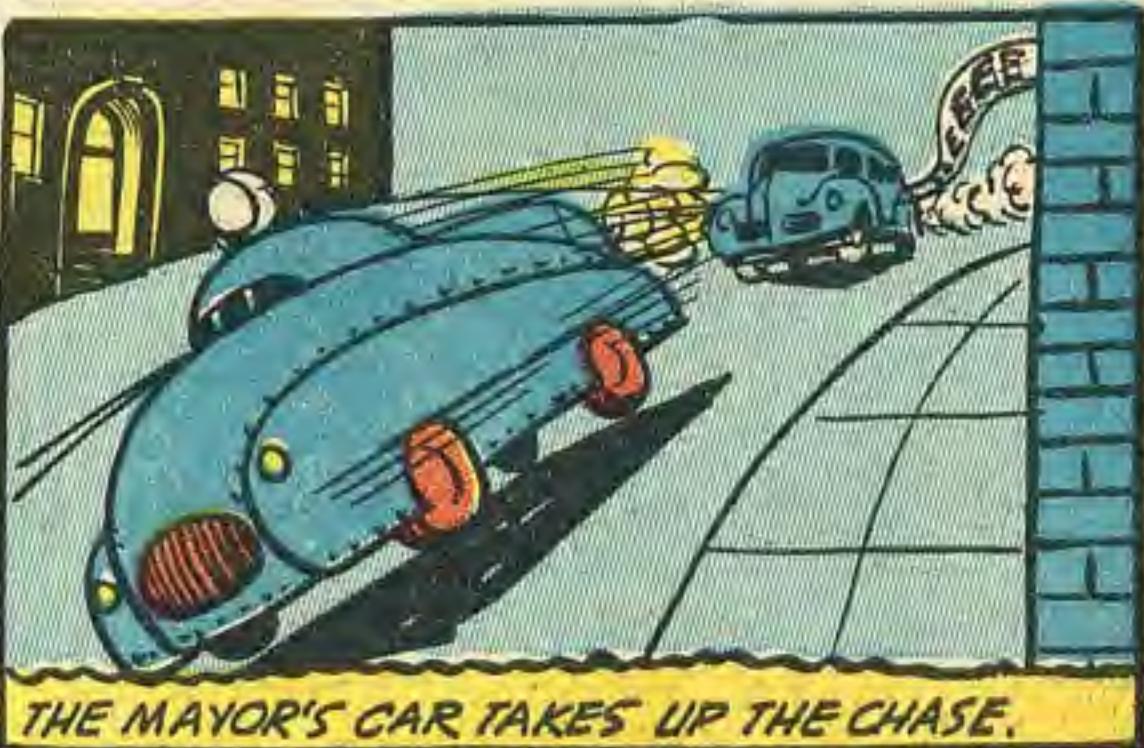
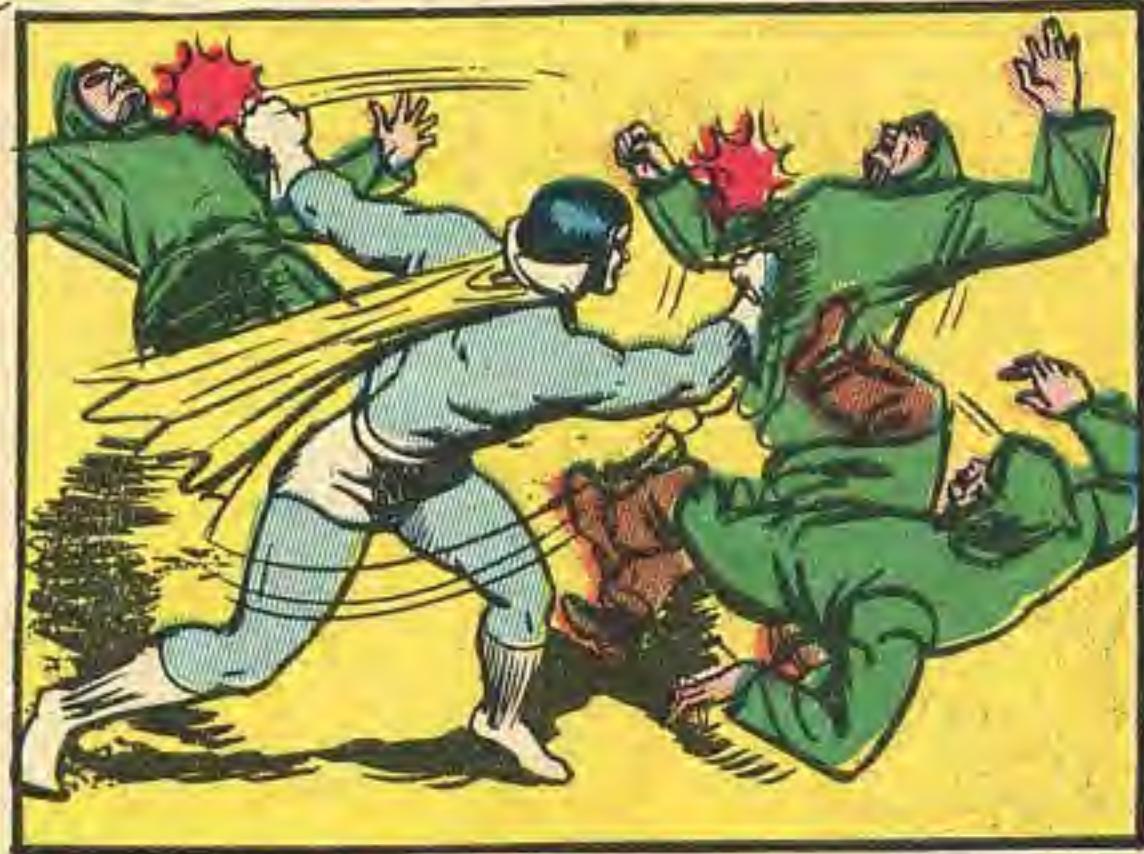


BUT EVEN A SMALL CRACK
BETWEEN THE DOOR AND THE
FRAME IS A LARGE ENOUGH
OPENING FOR THE ECTOPLAS-
MIC MR. JUSTICE!



THE REMAINING MEMBERS OF
THE GANG RE-
TURN FROM
THE BANK.....





MR. JUSTICE MAKES QUICK WORK OF THE HOODED TERRORISTS.



MORE MYSTERIOUS ADVENTURES OF THE AMAZING MR. JUSTICE IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF BLUE RIBBON COMICS!

RANG-A-TANG

THE WONDER DOG WITH

Ricky THE AMAZING BOY



SAVE ME! THEY
WANT TO KILL
ME!

I THINK YOU'RE MISTAKEN
ABOUT THAT! RELAX FOR
A MINUTE AND WELL SEE
WHAT THIS IS
ALL ABOUT!

FATHER! PLEASE, FATHER!
WE'RE NOT GOING TO HARM
WE WANT TO HELP YOU!

YOU!

POOR FATHER! WE
WERE TAKING HIM FOR
A WALK, AND —

COME ALONG
NOW, MR. BOND!

HE SUDDENLY
BROKE
AWAY!

YOU MEAN,
HE'S —

YES! HE'S LOSING HIS
MIND. DR. HARRIS HAS
BEEN TREATING HIM IN
HIS SANITARIUM!

I HOPE HE'LL RESPOND TO THE
TREATMENT QUICKLY!... OH!
EXCUSE ME. THESE ARE MY
FRIENDS —

I KNOW
THEM FROM
THEIR PICTURE
IN THE PAPERS!
THIS IS RANG-A-TANG,
AND HELLO, RICHY!

AND YOU'RE
HY SPEED
THE DETEC-
TIVE.

IF THERE'S ANY THING I
CAN DO FOR YOU, PLEASE
GET IN TOUCH WITH ME.
HERE'S MY CARD!

GOOD BYE, MISS BOND!

GOOD BYE AND
THANKS,
MR. SPEED!

TOO BAD ABOUT HER
FATHER, ISN'T IT? SHE
SEEMS LIKE A-ER- VERY
NICE GIRL!



THAT NIGHT
AT HOME
HY IS
SUMMONED
TO THE
TELEPHONE



THE WONDER DOG LEAPS FROM THE CAR...

RANG!



AND ATTACKS THE HIDDEN STRANGERS!

HEY! THIS
DOG! GET
HIM!



THAT OUGHT TO PUT HIM
AWAY FOR A WHILE!



AS HY RUSHES UP
FROM THE REAR...

LOOK OUT
BEHIND YOU!



THE GUNMAN WARNS HIS CRONY IN
TIME!



RICHY BIDES HIS TIME FOR A SURPRISE
ATTACK...



BUT THE AMAZING BOY IS A SECOND
TOO LATE!

BOOM!



UP WITH YOUR PAWS,
SONNY BOY!

IF HE GETS
CUTE, PLUG HIM!
THIS KID IS SUP-
POSED TO BE
SMART!



AS THE GUNMEN FORCE RICHY INTO THE CAR, HE IS DEALT A COWARDLY BLOW FROM BEHIND!

THAT'S BETTER! NOW WE GOT NUTHIN' TO WORRY ABOUT!

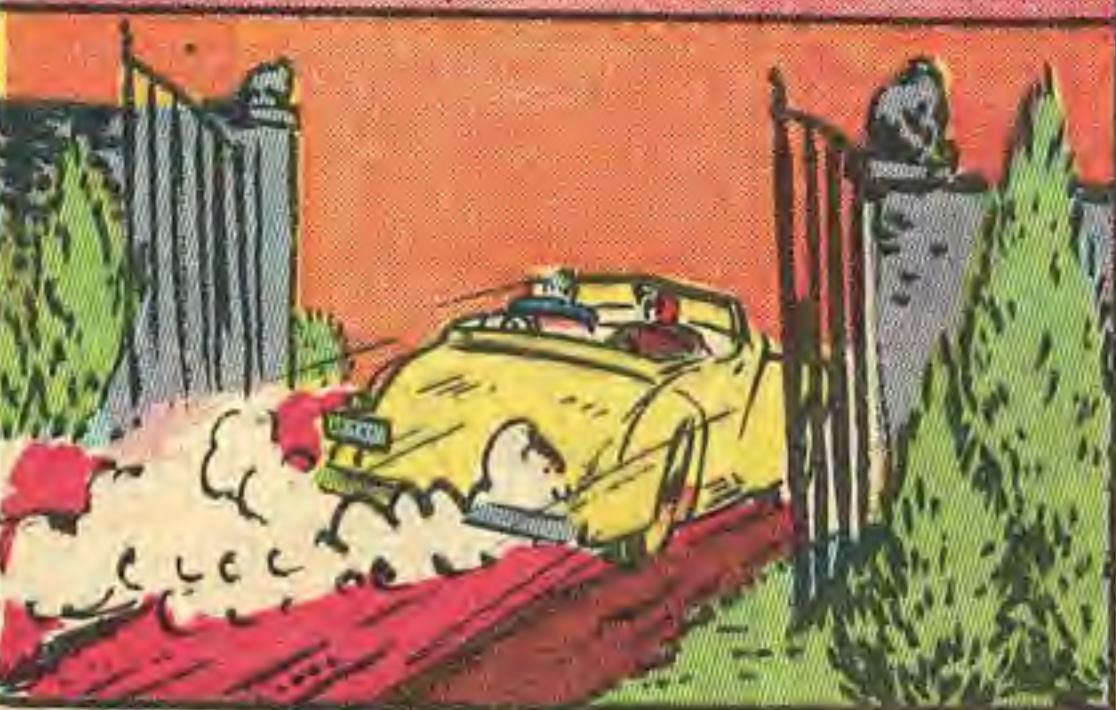


WE'LL DRIVE THESE PUNKS OUT TO THE INLET AND SINK 'EM IN THEIR OWN CAR! IT'LL LOOK LIKE AN ACCIDENT!

HY IS DUMPED INTO THE REAR SEAT!



A SECOND LATER, THE CAR ZOOMS OFF...



THE SOUND OF THE ROARING MOTOR BRINGS RANG-A-TANG BACK TO CONSCIOUSNESS!



THE WONDER DOG'S SUPER-SENSITIVE SENSE OF SMELL LEADS HIM ON THE TRAIL OF THE AUTOMOBILE!



LATER... RANG REACHES THE EDGE OF THE WATER, WHERE HY AND RICHY ARE SLOWLY SINKING TO THEIR DOOM!



IN A FLASH, THE FAITHFUL DOG IS IN THE WATER...



TUGGING RELENTLESSLY AT RICHY RANG SUCCEEDS IN BRINGING HIM TO HIS SENSES!



WH-WHERE AM I? GOOD GOSH! RANG! WE'VE GOT TO GET HY OUT OF HERE!

BETWEEN THEM, RICHY AND RANG-A-TANG
MANAGE TO GET HY TO SHORE JUST AS THE
CAR DISAPPEARS UNDER THE WATER!

GOOD WORK,
RANG!

A FEW
MINUTES
LATER...

WELL, I HAVE YOU TO
THANK FOR SAVING MY
LIFE AGAIN, AND I HAVE
THIS WATERPROOF CART-
RIDGE BELT TO THANK
FOR KEEPING OUR
AMMUNITION DRY!

AFTER
A
SHORT
WALK
SAY, HY! THIS IS
FAMILIAR TERRITORY.
WE'VE BEEN HERE
BEFORE!

YOU'RE RIGHT, RICHY! DR.
HARRIS' SANITARIUM IS
JUST UP THE ROAD!
NOW LISTEN...

AS HY IS ADMITTED
TO THE HOSPITAL,
RICHY AND RANG,
FOLLOWING HY'S
PLAN, HIDE IN
THE SHADOWS
OUTSIDE.



NOW, UNLESS YOU WISH A BULLET
THROUGH YOUR BRAIN,
PLEASE WALK DOWN
THOSE STAIRS — AND
KEEP YOUR HANDS
HIGH!

THIS, MR. SPEED, IS THE KITCHEN!
IT HAS A LARGE, COMFORTABLE
ICE BOX THAT SHOULD
COOL YOU OFF
QUITE A BIT!



NOW I THINK WE CAN GET ALONG WITH THE-ER-OPERATION.

YOU FIENDS! I DON'T CARE ABOUT MY LIFE—BUT WHAT HAVE YOU DONE WITH MY DAUGHTER?

WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE HER ALIVE AND UNHARMED?

IF YOU DO, JUST SIGN THIS PAPER! SIMPLE ISN'T IT?

ALL RIGHT! I'LL DO IT! BUT HOW DO I KNOW YOU WON'T KILL JOAN AFTER I SIGN OVER MY ESTATE TO YOU?

BUT MY DEAR MR. BOND, YOU SEEM TO FORGET THAT YOU HAVE NO CHOICE IN THE MATTER. EITHER SIGN THE NECESSARY LEGAL PAPERS OR YOU WILL NEVER SEE YOUR DAUGHTER AGAIN! IS THAT CLEAR?

LOOK, RANG! THE LIGHTS ARE ON IN THE OPERATING ROOM. I HAVE A HUNCH WE'D BETTER TAKE A CLOSER LOOK!

A FEW MOMENTS LATER, ON THE FIRE ESCAPE OUTSIDE THE OPERATING ROOM.....

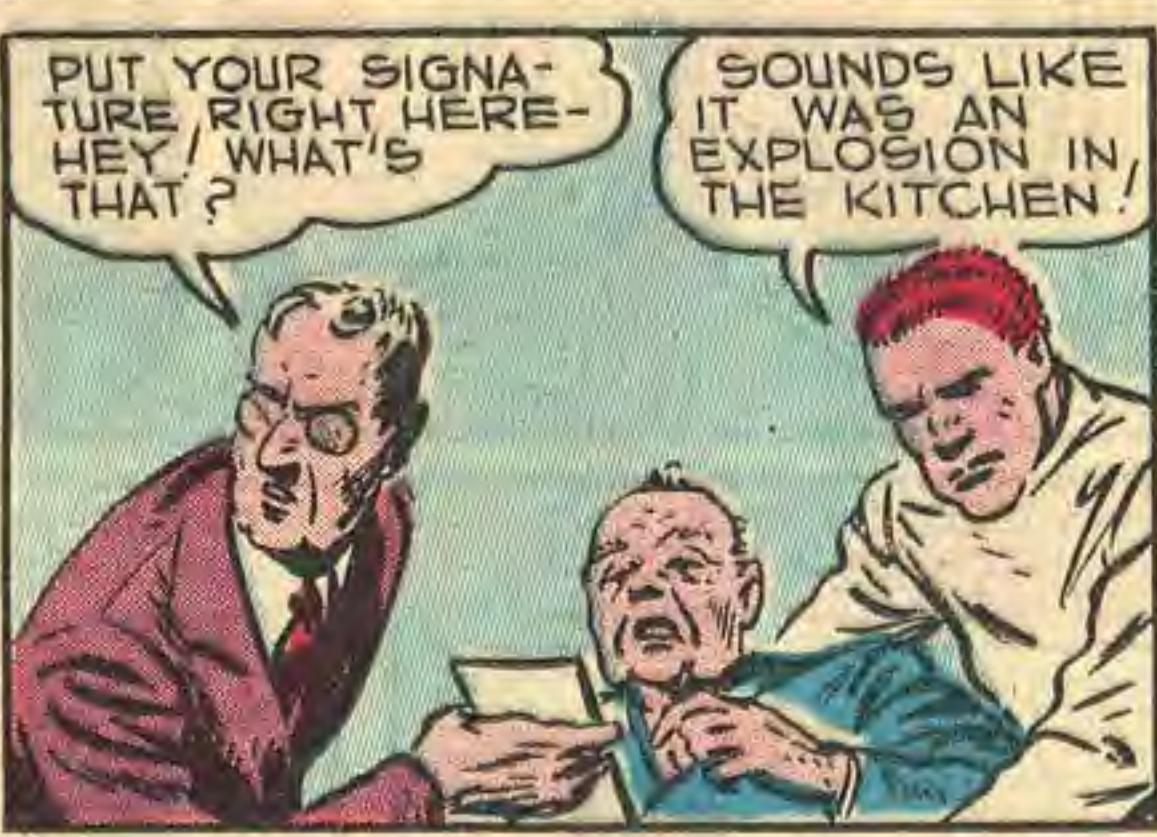
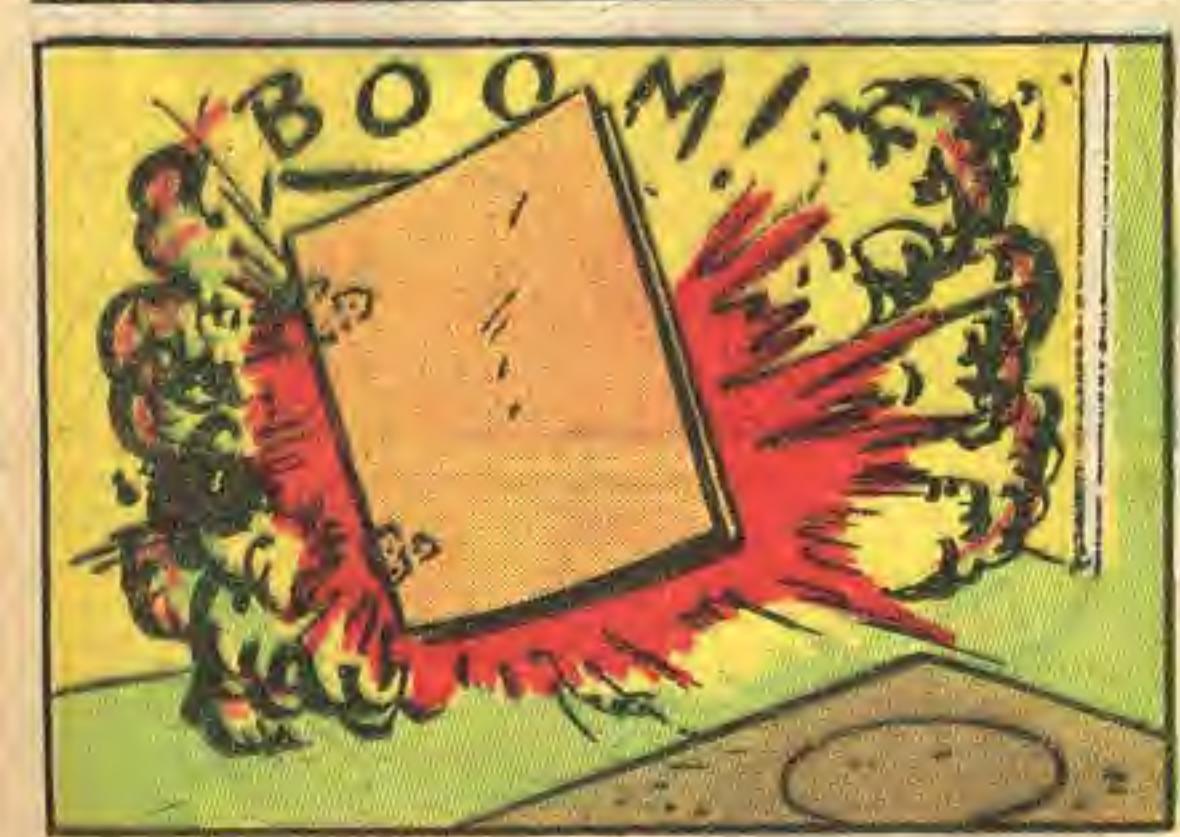
GOSH, WHERE DID HY GO? HE ISN'T IN THERE!

MEANWHILE, HY WORKS FEVERISHLY AGAINST APPROACHING DEATH!

THANK HEAVENS! THE POWDER IN THESE CARTRIDGES IS DRY! IT'S MY ONLY CHANCE!

HE RIPS OFF THE SLEEVE OF HIS SHIRT.....

I NEED SOME SORT OF A "FUSE" FOR THIS EXPERIMENT!



RANG AND I HEARD ENOUGH FROM THE FIRE ESCAPE TO SHOW US WHAT WAS UP. WE WERE JUST WAITING FOR A CHANCE TO BREAK IN HERE!

GOD BLESS YOU, SON!

DOCTOR HARRIS HAS MR. SPEED IN THE KITCHEN DOWNSTAIRS! I HEARD THEM SAY SO!

LET'S GO! HY DOESN'T HAVE A GUN— HE'LL NEED OUR HELP!



I'LL TAKE
CHARGE OF
THIS GUN
NOW!

HELP! GET THIS
DOG OFF! HE'S KILL-
ING ME!

ALL RIGHT, RICHY!
I'VE GOT 'EM! LET
HIM UP, RANG!



TIE THESE PRIZE
PACKAGES UP,
RICHY!



H-HELLO,
DAD!

JOAN!
JOAN!

WELL, DOC, YOUR PLAN TO TAKE
OVER MR. BOND'S PROPERTY
ALMOST WORKED. IF YOU
AND YOUR CROOKED LAW-
YER FRIEND HAD ONLY
BEEN A LITTLE MORE
CLEVER, JOAN MIGHT NOT
HAVE DISCOVERED YOUR
PLAN. BUT THAT'S WHY THE
JAELS ARE FULL OF CRIMI-
NALS LIKE YOU — THEY'RE
ALL JUST CLEVER ENOUGH
TO MAKE ONE
LITTLE
MISTAKE!

LATER.....

MR. SPEED, YOU
AND YOUR FRIENDS
SAVED OUR LIVES.
HOW CAN WE
REPAY YOU?

BRINGING CRIMINALS
TO JUSTICE AND
SAVING INNO-
CENT PEOPLE
IS ALL THE PAY
WE WANT!



HY SPEED WITH RICHY AND
RANG-A-TANG, CRACK OPEN AN-
OTHER THRILLING CASE IN THE
NEXT ISSUE OF
BLUE RIBBON COMICS

HAVE YOU MET

**DUSTY, THE SPECTACULAR
BOY DETECTIVE?**
HE APPEARS EVERY MONTH WITH THE
SHIELD in **PEP COMICS!**

THE RANG-A-TANG CLUB

MEMBERSHIP

HONOR LEGION

CARE AND TRAINING OF DOGS



THE RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION

HOW TO QUALIFY

There are two ways in which you can be admitted as a charter member of the HONOR LEGION.

1st WAY—In keeping with your RANG-A-TANG Oath of membership, write us a letter relating an exceptional deed you performed involving kindness or courage toward any animal, be it dog, cat, horse, bird, or wild life, and you will be eligible to become a charter member in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION.

A—All letters must be certified to by *parent or guardian*.

B—All those who become Charter Members will have their names published in the pages of *BLUE RIBBON COMICS*.

C—Outstanding letters will be published on the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION page.

2nd WAY—Introduction of your friends as members of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB. Here's how you do it:

A—Just have them apply for membership to the Club in the same way as you did.

B—Then drop me a postcard giving me their names and address.

C—Print and sign your own name and address on the card so that we can make you a Charter Member of the HONOR LEGION.

Charter members of the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION will receive a handsomely engraved HONOR LEGION diploma, suitable for framing, signed by Dr. Alexander Slawson, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine, the author Jim Blair, the artist Ed Snellie, Jr., and myself.

Just remember this; it is only necessary to do one of the above two things to obtain Charter Membership in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION. Go to it.

By Speed

Dear My Speed

State Hospital #4, Farmington, Mo.

One day I was on my way to the store, when all of a sudden, a small dog ran across the road directly in front of a car under which stood a cat. The car's motor was running so I dashed across the road to get the dog. The driver hadn't seen the dog and was about to start the car. I whistled for the pup but it did not pay any attention to me. I grabbed the dog and raced to safety just as the car started, narrowly missing being hit by a second car that was coming along on the other side.

Mary Margaret Fuson

QUESTIONNAIRE Print Clearly

NAME

ADDRESS

SEX OF DOG

APPROXIMATE WEIGHT

EYES

NOSE

OTHER REMARKS

How to Join THE RANG-A-TANG CLUB

Fill in the coupon which contains the RANG-A-TANG OATH, and mail it to My Speed, together with the money, to cover handling.

Members of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB will receive an endorsed membership card and a RANG-A-TANG button, as well as a free copy of Dr. Slawson's booklet, "Highlights On The Health Of Your Dog and Cat", and the privilege of becoming a charter member in the RANG-A-TANG HONOR LEGION. Members will also be entitled to receive by mail only, the professional advice of DR. ALEXANDER SLAWSON, Veterinarian, absolutely free.

DO YOU have any questions on the care and training of your dog? If you do, membership in the RANG-A-TANG CLUB enables you to ask your question and have it answered by the CLUB's licensed registered Doctor of Veterinary Medicine. Merely fill out the questionnaire printed below and enclose it with your letter, as well as a stamped, self-addressed envelope. This is important because unless these instructions are followed, your question will not be answered. Address your letter to THE RANG-A-TANG CLUB, 160 West Broadway, New York City.

THIS MONTH'S MEMBERSHIP LIST

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48 Allen Street
Hillside, Long Island

Bernard Klein
1109 Division Street
Trenton, N.J.

Eva Cammaratta
203 East 50th St.,
New York, N.Y.

By Speed
to Blue Ribbon Comics
160 West Broadway, New York City

Dear My Speed,

Please enroll me as a member of the RANG-A-TANG CLUB. I enclose the money to cover cost of handling. It is understood that I am to receive my membership card and a RANG-A-TANG button.

Name Age
(PRINT CLEARLY)

Street Address

City and State

OATH

On my honor, I pledge myself to deal kindly with all animals, be they in distress or otherwise. To do a good deed whenever I can. In all places, at all times. I will keep this pledge constantly in my heart and in my mind.

I do so solemnly swear —

Sign name

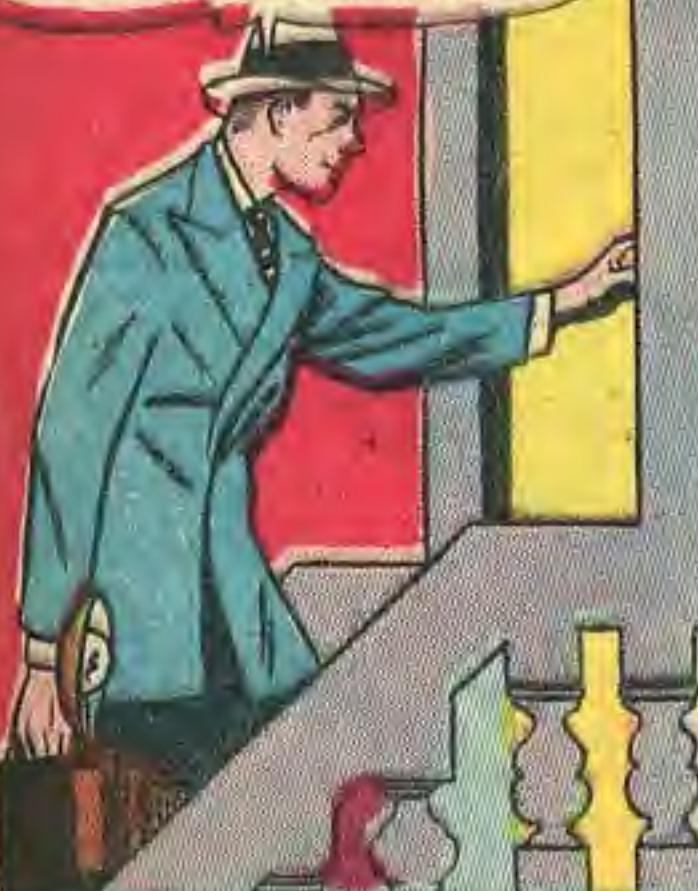
BREED OF DOG
CONDITION OF COAT (HAIR)

THE FOX

By
AMSEN
AND
BLAIR

AT MIDNIGHT, A YOUNG MAN IS TO DIE IN
THE STATE PRISON'S ELECTRIC CHAIR...
THAT AFTERNOON, PAUL PATTON,
STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER OF THE DAILY
GLOBE, RECEIVES AN ASSIGNMENT
TO INTERVIEW THE CONDEMNED
MAN'S FAMILY.....

NOW TO GET A PICTURE
OF THE KILLER'S MOTHER-



OH!
MRS. GAJECKI!
MRS. GAJECKI-I



AS PAUL ENTERS THE CONDEMNED
MAN'S HOME A FRANTIC
GIRL RUSHES UP BEHIND HIM!

OH-HELP!
I—
I'M SHOT!

HEY!



THAT SHOT CAME FROM
UP THERE ON THE
SECOND FLOOR!

-AS PAUL DASHES INTO THE BUILDING

-HE IS DEALT A BRUTAL
BLOW ON THE SKULL!-



OH MOTHER GAJECKI-
I-I-Oh

SHH-
JUST BE
QUIET, SONJA-



-MEANWHILE A CROWD GATHERS
AT THE SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY...

A FEW MINUTES LATER PAUL
REGAINS CONSCIOUSNESS!

DO YOU HAVE ANY
IDEA WHO SHOT
YOU?

SHE'S FAILING SO
FAST! OH! WHY
DOESN'T THE AM-
BULANCE COME!

CAM-
CAMERA!

-A MOMENT LATER THE AMBULANCE
ARRIVES TO REMOVE THE WOUNDED GIRL...



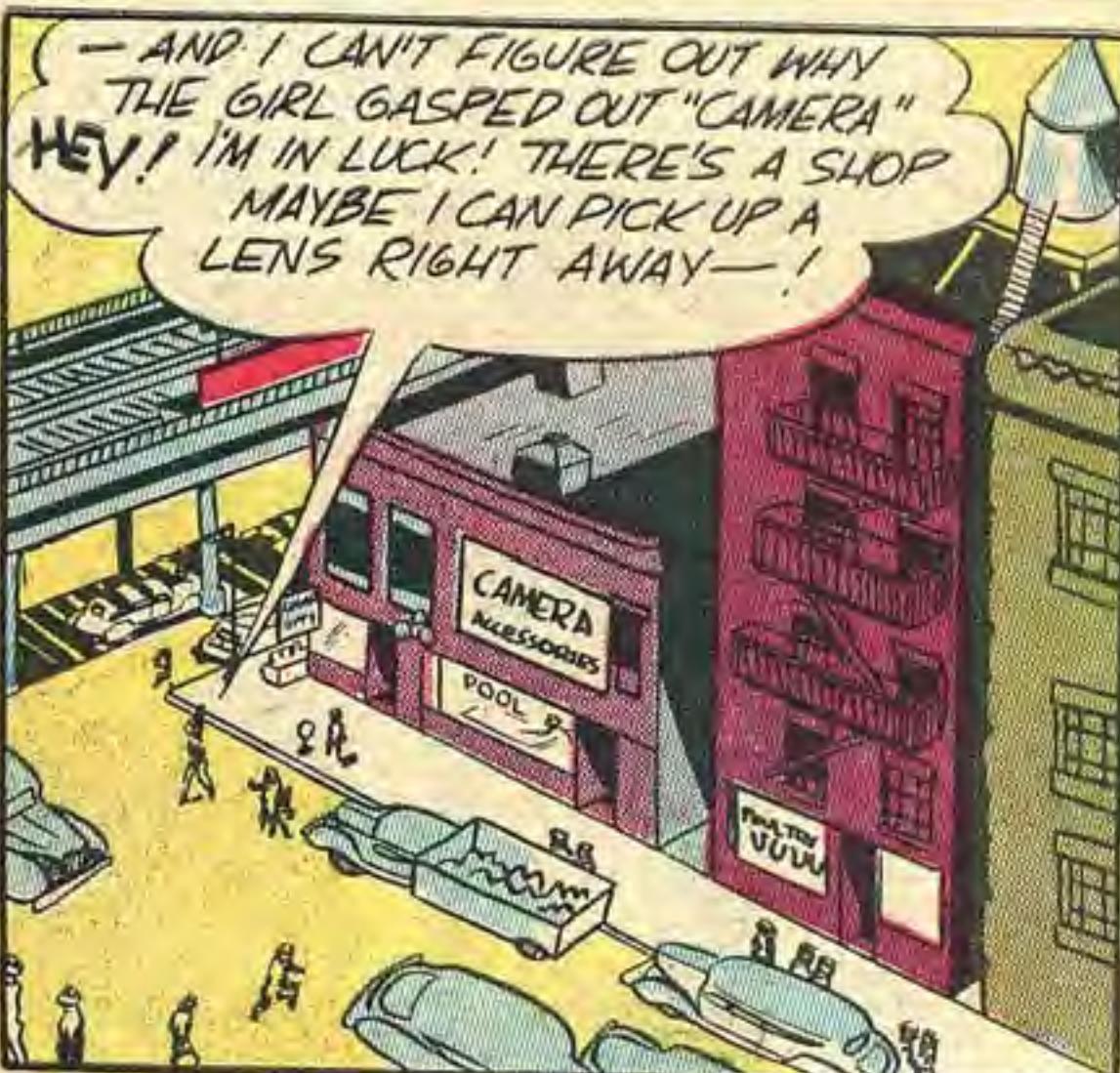
WHY SHOULD THIS HAPPEN TO ME NOW? FIRST MY SON IS GOING TO DIE AND NOW THIS!

IT'S PRETTY TOUGH! AND YOU SAID ALL ALONG YOUR SON WAS INNOCENT!

I WAS SUPPOSED TO GET YOUR PICTURE BUT THE CAMERA LENS WAS SMASHED A WHILE AGO!

GOD BLESS YOU FOR BEING SO KIND TO ME

GOSH! ORDERS ARE ORDERS! AS SOON AS I CAN REPLACE THIS LENS, I'LL HAVE TO GO BACK AND GET HER PICTURE!



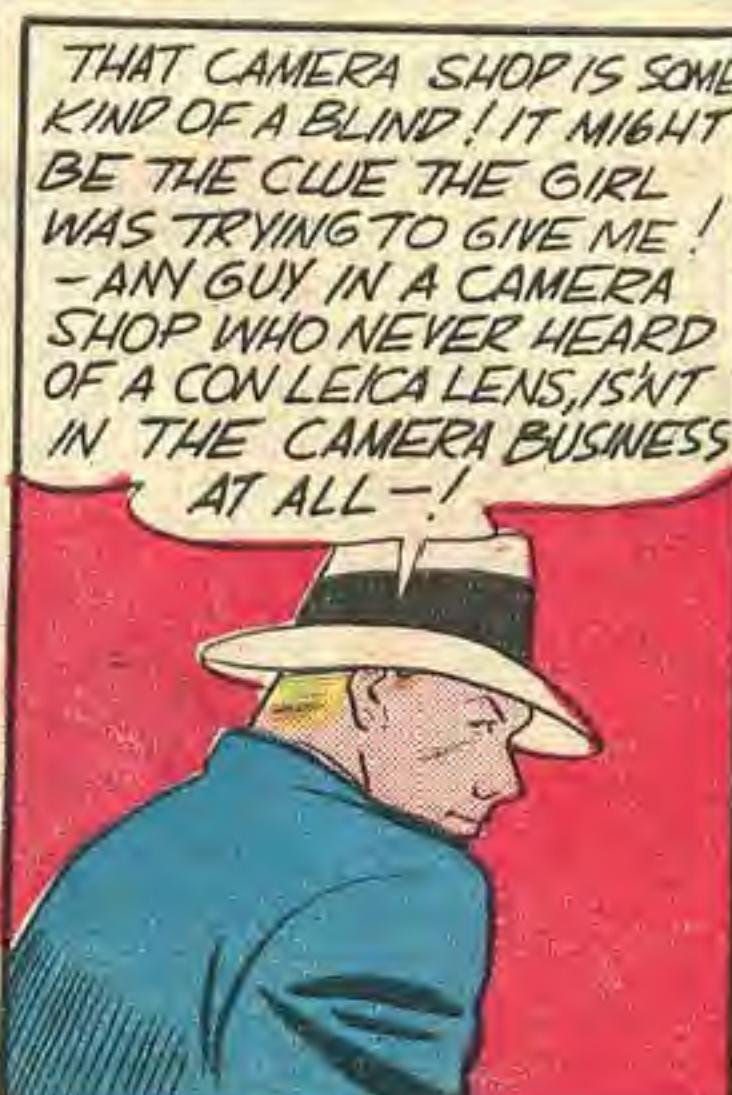
WHY-I-ER-I DON'T THINK I'VE EVER HEARD OF THAT BEFORE!

OKAY! THANK'S THAT'S ALL I WANTED

THAT CAMERA SHOP IS SOME KIND OF A BLIND! IT MIGHT BE THE CLUE THE GIRL WAS TRYING TO GIVE ME! - ANY GUY IN A CAMERA SHOP WHO NEVER HEARD OF A CON LEICA LENS, ISN'T IN THE CAMERA BUSINESS AT ALL -!

PAUL PATTON RUSHES TO HIS APARTMENT.....

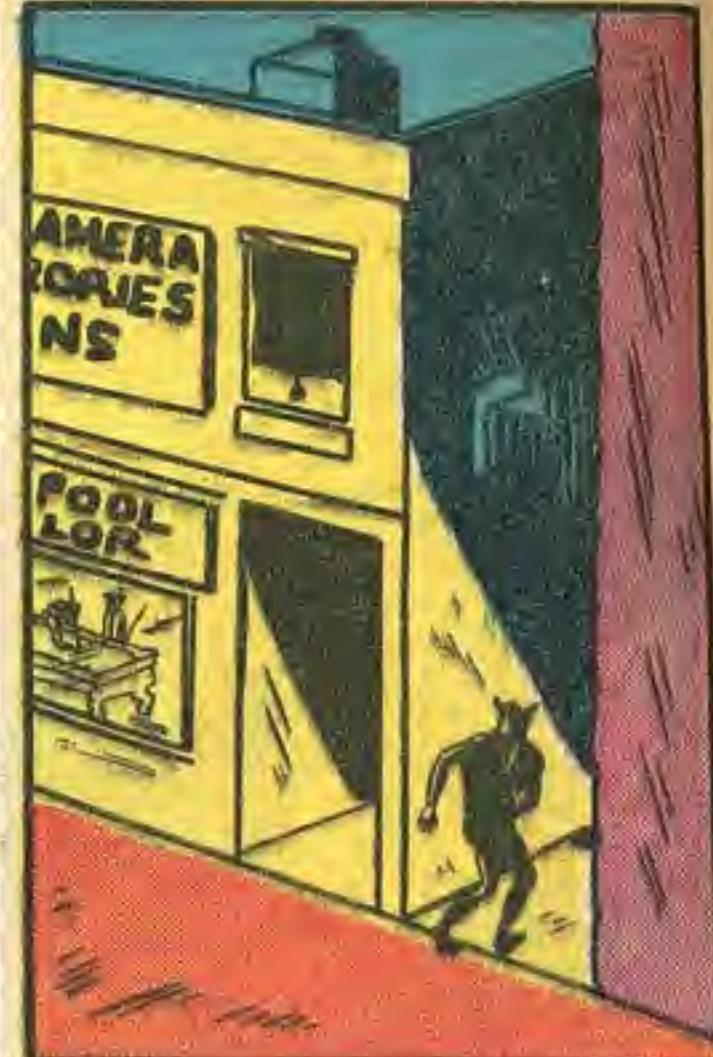
THIS LOOKS LIKE A JOB FOR THE FOX!



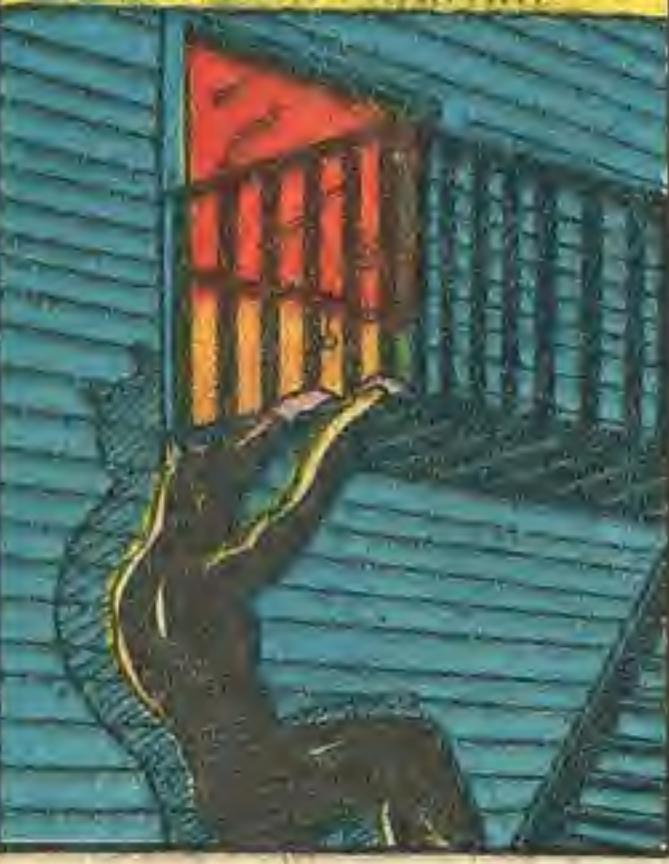
THAT NIGHT THE FOX
MAKES HIS APPEARANCE
ONCE AGAIN—!



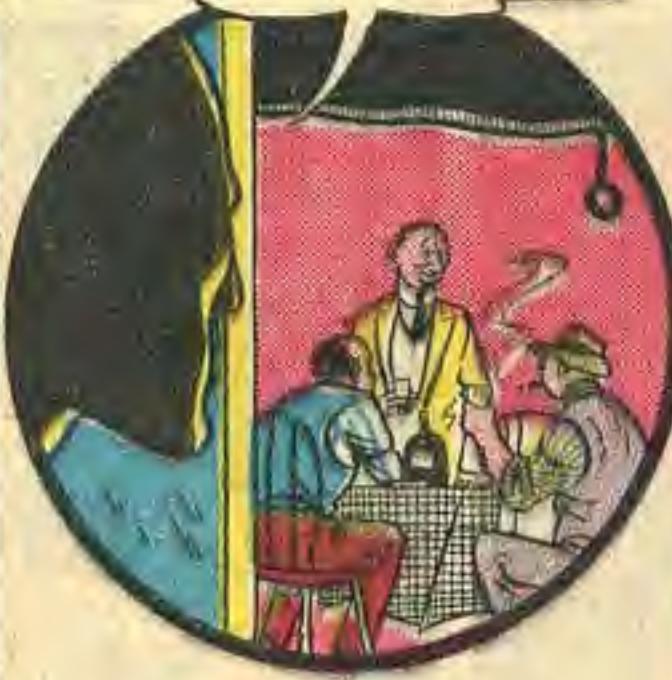
WELL—IT'S TEN O'CLOCK—
IN TWO HOURS LEON GAJECKI
DIES!—UNLESS—AH! HERE
IS MY FIRST STOP!



NOISELESSLY AND
CAUTIOUSLY THE FOX
SWINGS UP THE FIRE
ESCAPE



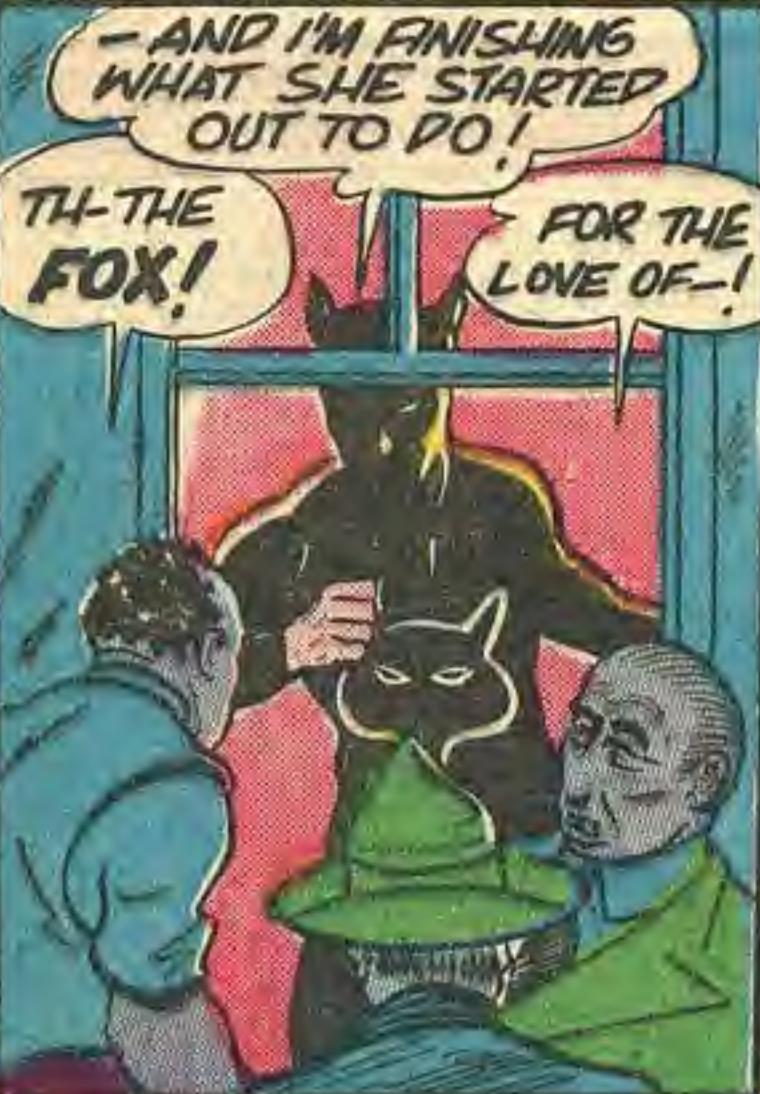
AHA! AS I THOUGHT!
THE CAMERA SHOP IS A
FRONT FOR SOME GANG!



WELL, BOYS—
IT'S ONLY A
MATTER OF
TIME NOW 'TIL
GAJECKI TAKES
THE RAP FOR
US!



YEAH! WE SURE
FRAMED HIM
PRETTY! BUT
THAT SONJA
DAME ALMOST
PUT THE FINGER
ON US!



AS THE FOX CONNECTS WITH
A RIGHT HAND UPPERCUT,
HIS LEFT PRESSES THE
CONCEALED CABLE, TAKING
A CANDIRU CAMERA SHOT!

WATCH THE
BIRDIE, BIG BOY!

WELL! HERE'S SOMEONE I'M AFRAID I MISSED!

COME AND GET ME- IF YOU THINK YOU'RE MAN ENOUGH!

-AS THE FOX ADVANCES THE THUG PRESSES A BUTTON ON THE WALL...

THE FLOOR DROPS AWAY,
SENDING THE FOX HURTLING DOWNWARD!



WOW! THIS IS FASTER THAN THE ELEVATOR IN THE EMPIRE STATE-!



A HUMMING SOUND FILLS THE PIT- AND TWO OF THE WALLS START TO CLOSE IN ON THE TRAPPED FOX



I'VE GOT ONE CHANCE IN A THOUSAND TO GET OUT OF HERE WITHOUT LOOKING LIKE A PANCAKE!

-THE FOX SCRAMBLES UP BETWEEN THE RAPIDLY CLOSING WALLS, AND HE REACHES DESPERATELY FOR THE LIGHT BULB!

THE FOX UNSCREWS THE BULB AND SMASHES IT AGAINST THE CEILING.....



-JAMMING THE FRAGMENT OF THE BULB INTO THE OPEN SOCKET, THE FOX SHORT-CIRCUITS THE ELECTRICITY, HALTING THE ONCOMING WALLS AND OPENING THE TRAP DOOR!



-AND WHETHER YOU KNOW IT OR NOT, YOU'RE GONNA HELP ME, YOU RAT!

SNOP IT! OWWW!



-NEXT DAY

KID FAREN WINS BY K.O. IN 2N

** DAILY GLOB
FOX CLEARS
INNOCENT IN
GAJECKI SPARED
ELECTRIC CHAIR

BY
RUTH
RANSON
AN INNOCENT
MAN ALMOST
WENT TO HIS

PIX BY THE F

-LATER AT THE DAILY GLOBE

GEE, CHIEF, I'M SORRY I DIDN'T GET THOSE PIXS YOU SENT ME AFTER, BUT I SEE WHERE GAJECKI'S GIRL RECOVERED FROM THE BULLET WOUND!

NEVER MIND,
GLAMOUR BOY!
JUST BEAT IT,
AND LEAVE ME
ALONE!

FOLLOW THE
EXCITING
ADVENTURES OF
THE FOX IN
NEXT MONTH'S
BLUE RIBBON
COMICS

STEVE STACEY

SKY DETECTIVE

STORY BY SIERN

STEVE, I WANT YOU TO LEAVE FOR THE MIAMI AIR RACES AT ONCE. WE'VE BEEN TIPPED OFF THAT THERE IS GOING TO BE TROUBLE.

I'M ON MY WAY!

STEVE STACEY, SKY DETECTIVE, IS A SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR FOR THE CIVIL AERONAUTICS AUTHORITY IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

STEVE STACEY, I'M GOING WHERE TO WASHINGTOM. I'LL BE RIGHT BACK!

STACEY! HE'S THAT C.A.A. GUY. HE OVER-HEARD US! WE GOTTA STOP HIM. SEE THAT FIRE EXTINGUISHER, I'LL LOOSEN IT, AN' WHEN HE GETS UP TO FIX IT, WE'LL HAVE A CLEAR TARGET!

I DON'T KNOW WHY, STEVE STACEY. I'M TAKING YOU, JOYCE!

WHY, STEVE STACEY. I'M YOUR SECRETARY, AREN'T I?

WELL, LEFTY, YOU GOT THE RACE ALL FIXED?

SHUT UP, TEX, YOU FOOL.

LATER

STEVE, THAT THING BOTHERS ME, SEE IF YOU CAN FIX IT!



LATER, AFTER JOINING
JOYCE AT THE HOTEL

HELLO TEX! I WANT YOU TO MEET
MY FRIENDS, STEVE STACEY
AND JOYCE BAR-
TON!

TELEGRAM
FOR MR. STACEY!

HMM... F.B.I. SAYS
LEFTY LOWE IS A
SMALL TIME
GAMBLER, WITH
A POLICE
RECORD.

MY MECH-
ANIC.
WHY THE
DIRTY.....

GULP.
HULLÓ!



SMART SET-UP...LOWE BETS
ON TEX GARNER TO BEAT YOU
AND TO INSURE HIS BET HE
SABOTAGES
YOUR SHIP.

NOW TO TAKE CARE
OF HIM. CAN WE
GET A PLANE
AROUND HERE
THAT LOOKS
LIKE YOURS?

BILL SIMP-
SON HAS
ONE....AND
HE'S NOT EN-
TERED IN THE
RACE!

SWELL, WE'LL
SWITCH PLANES,
AND I'LL PUT MY
ROBOT CONTROL
DEVICE IN SIMP-
SON'S PLANE. TEX
AND LEFTY WILL
HAVE A SURPRISE
COMING TO THEM!



LATER... JOE TURNS SIMPSON'S PLANE OVER
TO LEFTY.

OKAY LEFTY,
SHE'S ALL
YOURS.

I'LL TAKE CARE
OF IT, BOSS!



THIS BOMB WILL
TAKE CARE OF YOU,
MR. JOE TURNER.

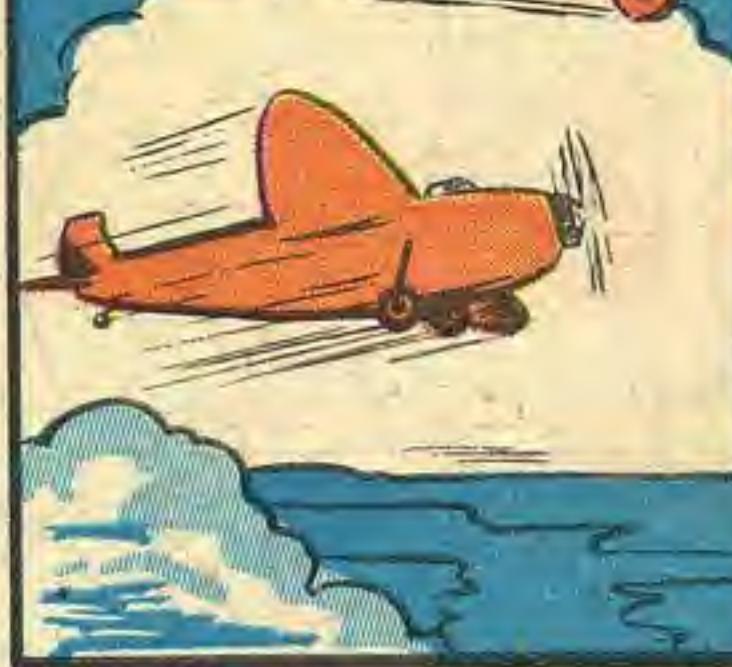
THE DAY OF THE RACE

DO YOU THINK THEY'RE WISE TO THE ROBOT CONTROL?

NO, EVERYTHING IS PERFECT, SO FAR! THERE'S THE GUN!

THE TAKE-OFF! THE ROBOT CONTROLLED PLANE IS FIRST WITH TEX RIGHT ON ITS HEELS!

NOW, I'LL MANEUVER IT TOWARDS TEX'S SHIP!



THE TIME BOMB GOES OFF

TEX BAILS OUT....



MORE ADVENTURES OF STEVE STACEY IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF BLUE RIBBON COMICS

Corporal

COLLINS

'INFANTRYMAN'



A FEW MILES OFF THE IRISH COAST, A BRITISH CONVOY IS ATTACKED AND DEVASTATED BY A NAZI RAIDER!

MAN THE LIFEBOATS!

THERE GOES THE CYNTHIA! WE DON'T STAND A CHANCE! THAT HEINIE WILL SINK US ALL!

HEAR THAT, SLAPSIE? THERE'S NO ONE TO HELP THEM!!! I CAN'T STAND BY AND SEE THOSE SHIPS OF MERCY GO DOWN!

H.M.S. SEAHORSE! OUR RED CROSS CONVOY IS NOW BEING ATTACKED BY GERMAN RAIDER. WE ARE LISTING TO PORTSIDE. HELP!

C'MON, SLAPSIE BOY-IF MY GUESS IS RIGHT, WE'RE BORROWING ONE OF HIS MAJESTY'S TORPEDO BOATS!

-AN' I WAS RIGHT INTH' MIDDLE OF GYPSY LEE'S STORY!

SAY, SEAMAN, HAS THAT WATERBUG GOT PLENTY OF OIL? IT HAS? - OKAY-HOW ABOUT TORPEDOES???

I'LL START 'ER UP, CORP!

IT'S GOT THOSE, TOO! BUT MAYBE YOU'D RATHER HAVE THE ADMIRAL'S YACHT. IT'S GOT A SWIMMIN POOL!



THEY'VE FINALLY PICKED UP THOSE JERRIES. TOO BAD ABOUT THOSE OTHER SHIPS!!!

FIVE OF 'EM! YOU WEREN'T KIDDING WHEN YOU SAID WE WERE GOING FISHING!

OKAY! NOW YOU CAN GO BACK AN' FINISH YOUR GYPSY LEE SUCCESS STORY!

NUTS TO GYPSY! ADMIRAL BAINSFEATHER WANTS TO SEE US RIGHT AWAY! C'MON CORP!



THAT WAS A BRILLIANT BIT OF THINKING ON YOUR PART, CORPORAL! THAT RED CROSS'S SHIPMENT MUST NOW GET TO GREECE BY LAND!

I GET IT!

THE MEDITERRANEAN IS TOO DANGEROUS - AND I'M ELECTED TO TAXI THEM THROUGH! OKAY BY ME, BUT IF IT'S ALL THE SAME TO YOU, I WON'T NEED HELP FROM YOUR DEAR SERGEANT BOYLE THIS TIME!

HERE WE GO! THE KEY MEN WE HAVE PLANTED IN FRANCE SHOULD BE ABLE TO SMUGGLE US THROUGH TO THE ITALIAN BORDER IF WE STICK TO NIGHT DRIVING!



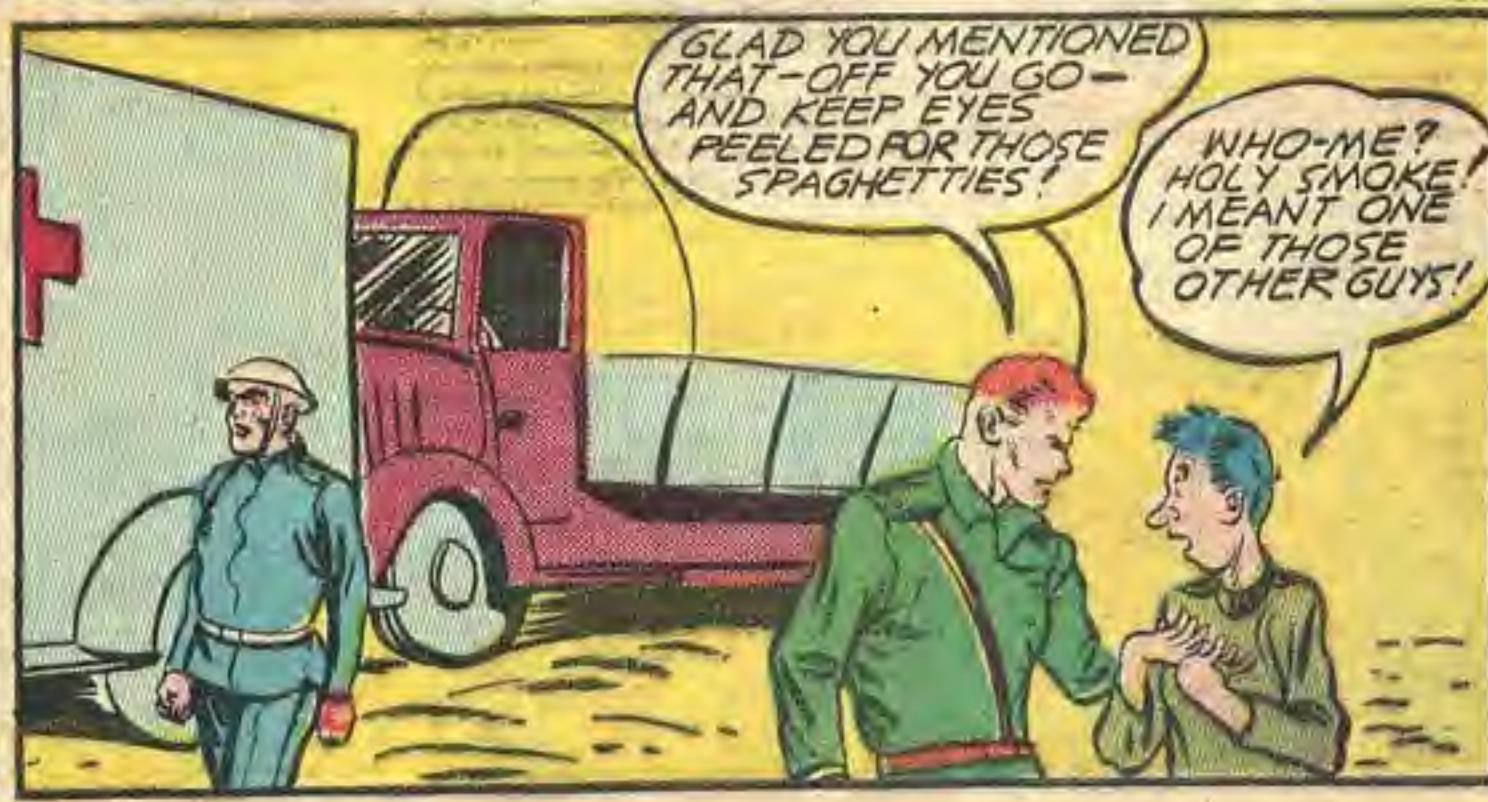
TWO DAYS LATER, SOMEWHERE IN SOUTHERN FRANCE

IT'S ALMOST DAYBREAK! WE TRAVEL BY NIGHT AN' SLEEP BY DAY!!! PITCH CAMP!!!

YOU OUGHT TO SEND ONE OF THOSE MEN OUT AS LOOKOUT!



CROSSING THE CHANNEL WAS EASY ENOUGH - AND THESE NARROW MOUNTAIN ROADS ARE A PIPE COMPARED TO WHAT'S AHEAD OF US BEFORE WE REACH GREECE!



GLAD YOU MENTIONED THAT - OFF YOU GO - AND KEEP EYES PEELED FOR THOSE SPAGHETTIES!

WHO-ME? HOLY SMOKE! I MEANT ONE OF THOSE OTHER GUYS!





WHAT'S A FALLEN
TREE AMONG BUDDIES!
C'MON, MEN, LET'S
HEAVE TO!



STOP! DON'T
TOUCH THAT
TREE. IT MAY
BE LOADED
WITH NITRO!
HAND ME THE
TOW ROPE,
SLAPSIE!



GOSH! YOU
WERE RIGHT,
GOSH!

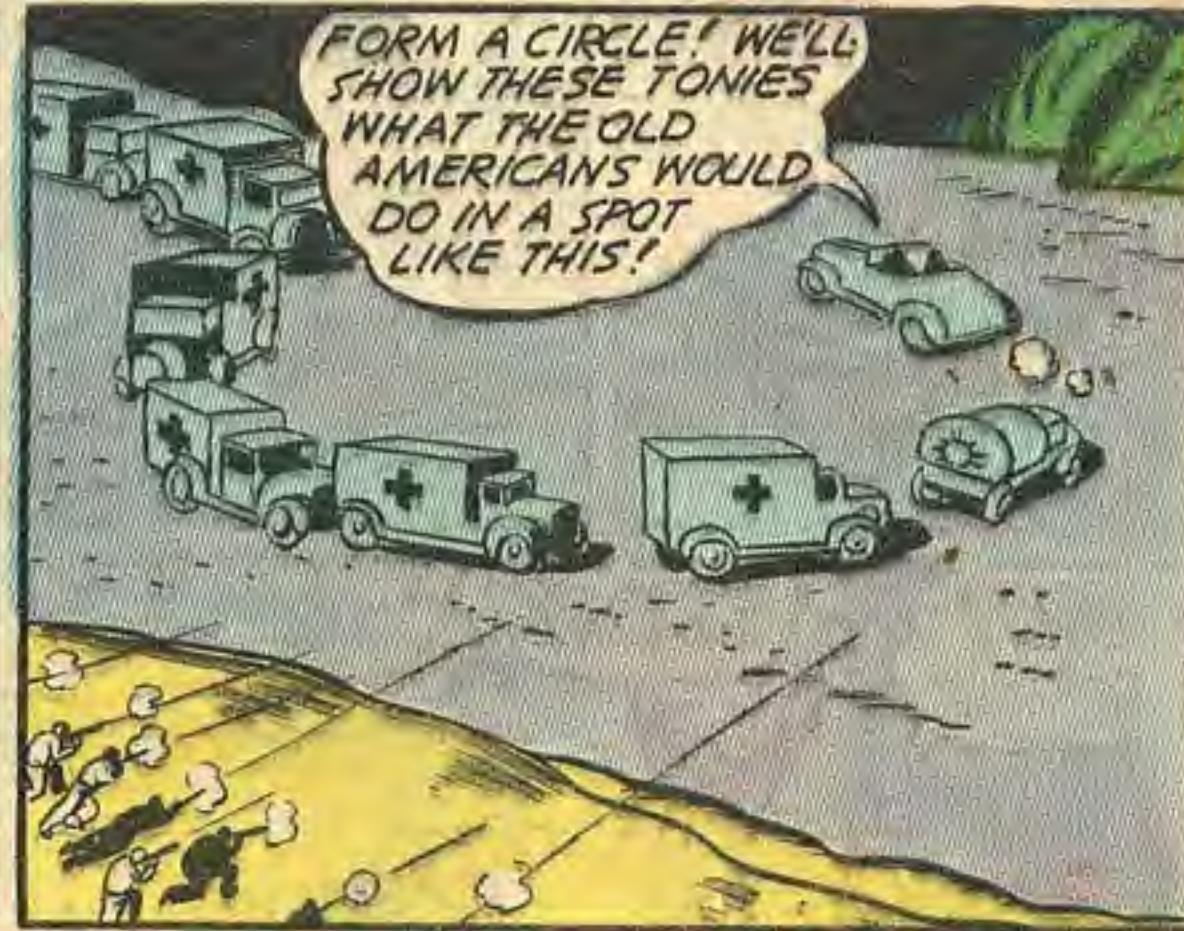
THAR
SHE
BLOWS!



INTO YOUR TRUCKS,
MEN! HERE'S
WHERE THE FUN
BEGINS!



FORM A CIRCLE! WE'LL
SHOW THESE TONIES
WHAT THE OLD
AMERICANS WOULD
DO IN A SPOT
LIKE THIS!



MAKE YOUR SHOTS
COUNT! DON'T
FIRE UNTIL YOU
SMELL THE
GARLIC!

GET OUT
YOUR TYPE-
WRITERS!
MAKE 'EM
COME TO
US!

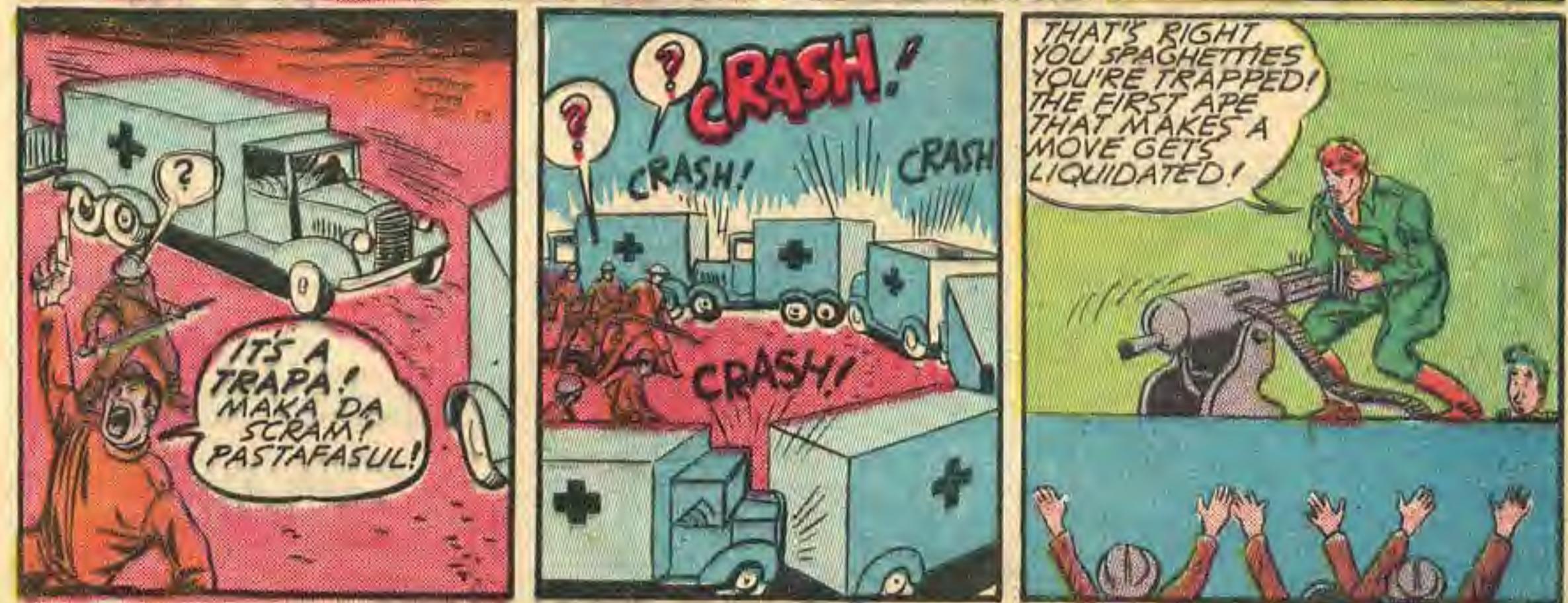


COME ON, YOU
BLASTED NAZI
BOOT KISSES! COME ON!



CEASE FIRING,
ONE BY ONE!
PRETEND WE ARE
ALL DEAD! BUT
WHEN THEY GET
HERE...





HERE IT IS

THE NEW
ISSUE
NO. 2 OF YOUR
FAVORITE MAGAZINE



LOOK
FOR
Tommy
THE
SUPER
BOY!

ALL
NEW!
ALL

DIFFERENT

ON SALE AT ALL NEWSTANDS

TY-GOR

SON OF
THE
TIGER

COME, TY-GOR
EVERYBODY
NEEDS AN
EDUCATION!

SCHOOL
SLOW
ZONE

TYRONE GORMAN, RAISED BY
A TIGRESS IN THE WILDS OF
MALAY, HAS BEEN BROUGHT
TO AMERICA BY EXPLORER
DAVIS AND HIS DAUGHTER,
JOAN ... TY-GOR'S GUARDIANS
HAVE DECIDED TO ENTER
THE JUNGLE YOUTH IN
GRAMMAR SCHOOL ...

NOW TY-GOR
BE A GOOD
BOY, AND
COME
ALONG!

NO!
NO!

MESKIN
BLAIR

MY! WHAT A CUTE YOUNGSTER!
I'LL PUT HIM IN THIS VACANT
CHAIR RIGHT HERE!

CHICO

AB-C-D-E

too

but

GOOD-BYE,
TY-GOR!

WE'LL BE
BACK FOR
YOU LATER!

NOW, CHILDREN, WE
SHALL ALL MARCH TO
THE AUDITORIUM! WE
ARE GOING TO SEE A
MOTION PICTURE!
ISN'T THAT JUST JOLLY?
COME ON, CHILDREN!

BE A GOOD BOY FOR
ME, TY-GOR! I'M NOT
GOING TO HURT YOU,
I ONLY WANT YOU
TO COME WITH ME!

I'M SURE YOU WILL
ENJOY THIS MOVIE.
IT IS VERY VERY
EDUCATIONAL!



THE LIGHTS ARE DIMMED AND
THE FILM BEGINS!



MALMA!
JUNTO!
TY-GOR!!



TY-GOR LEAPS TO THE AISLE...



RIPPING OFF HIS CLOTHES, HE POISES FOR AN INSTANT ON THE BALCONY RAIL...



THE JUNGLE YOUTH LEAPS...



AND GRASPS THE CHANDELIER, SWINGING HIMSELF TOWARD THE SCREEN!



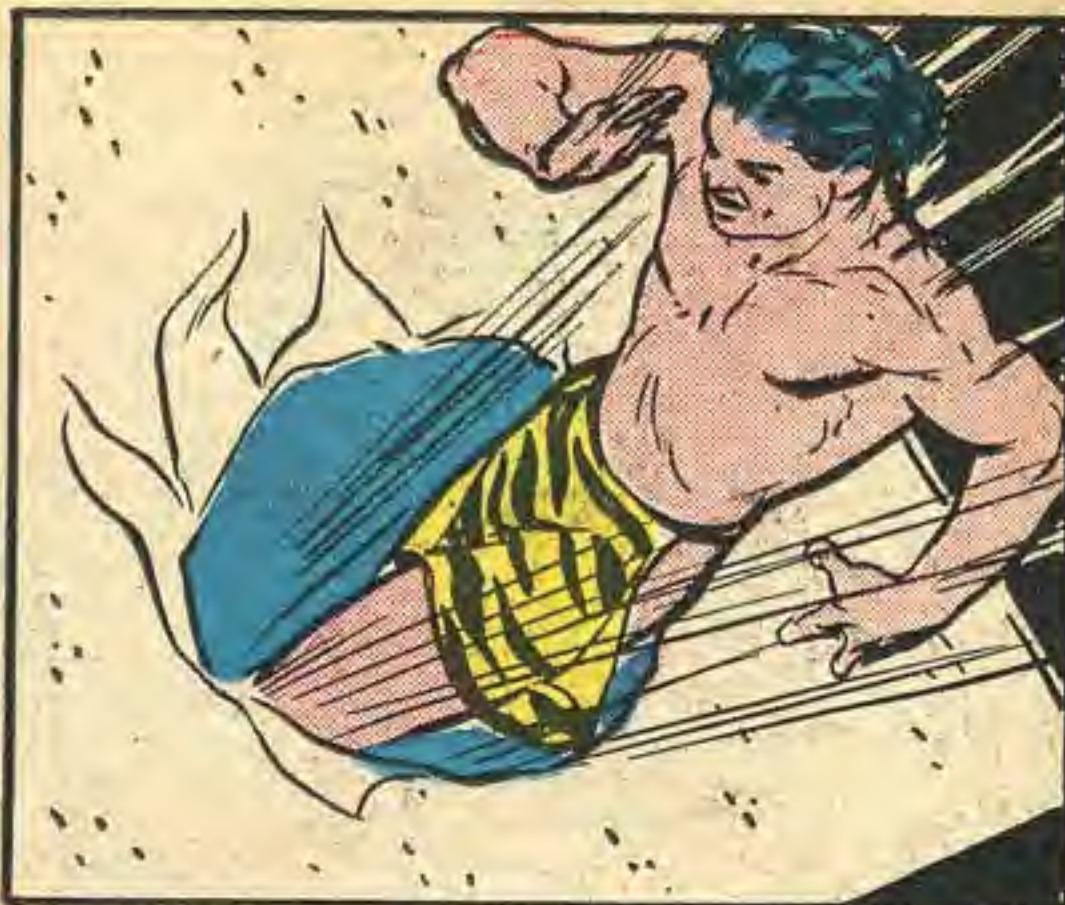
IN THE PROJECTION ROOM...

HEY! PETE! FER THE LUVVA HEAVEN, TURN OFF THE PROJECTOR! STOP THE PICTURE! SOME KIND OF A CIRCUS ACT IS GOIN' ON HERE!

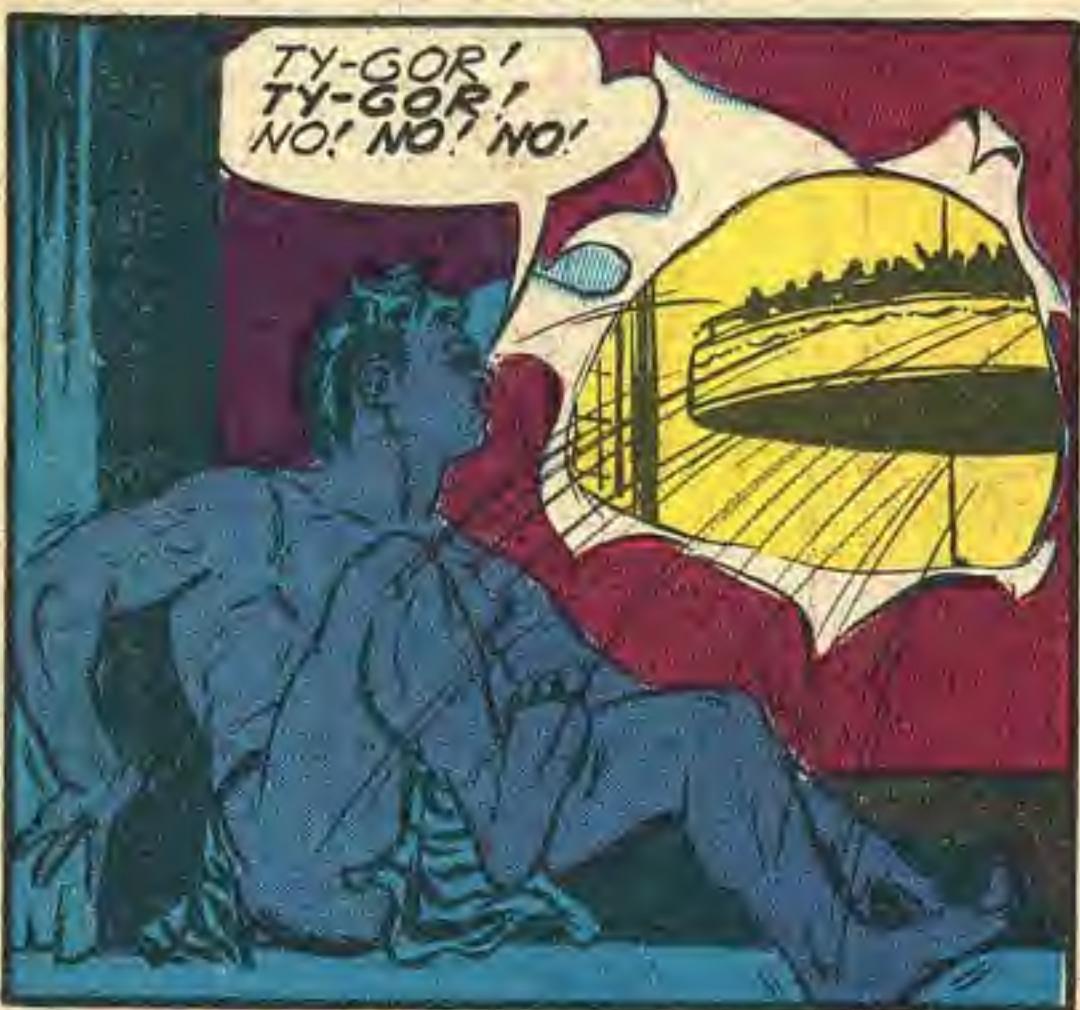


THE SCREEN GOES BLANK!

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TY-GOR!
TY-GOR!
NO! NO! NO!



RUN! THE
PROJECTORS
ARE ON FIRE!



FIRE!
FIRE!

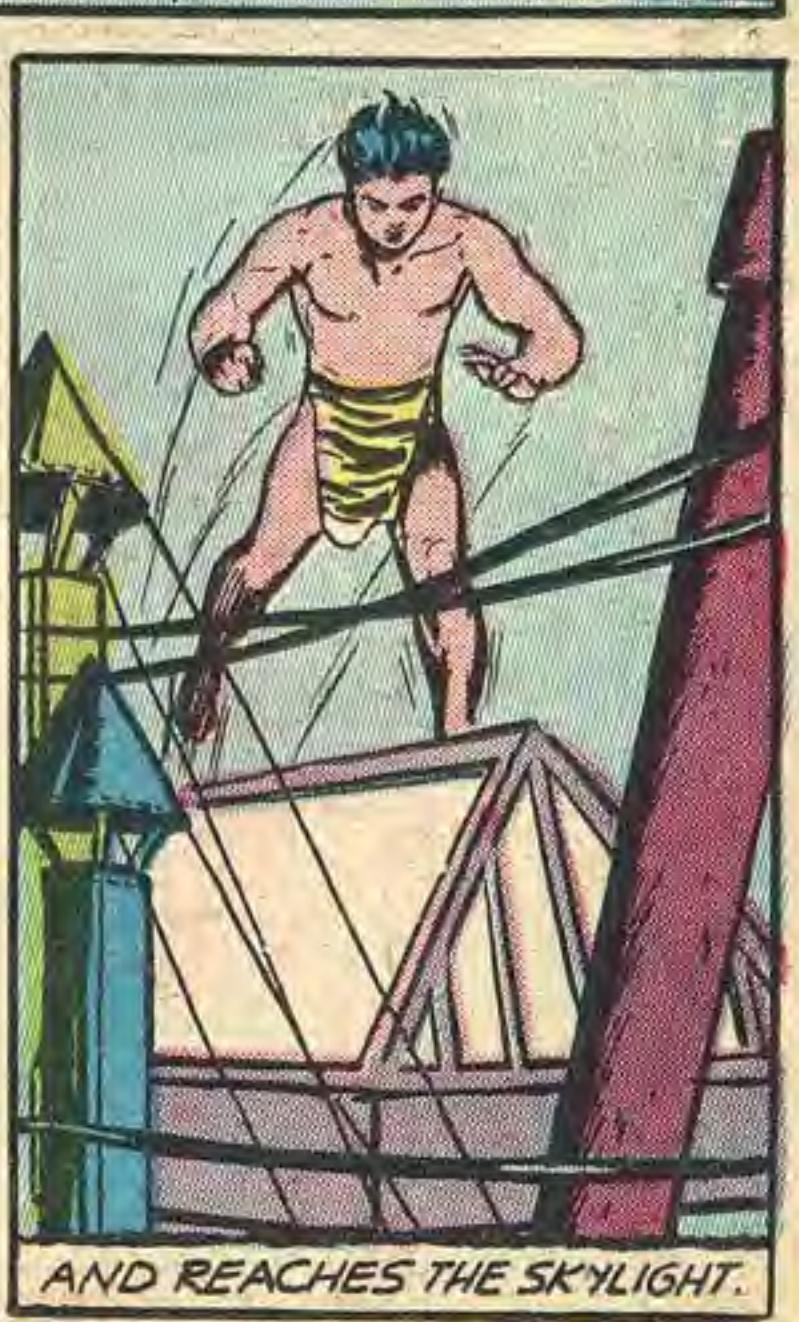
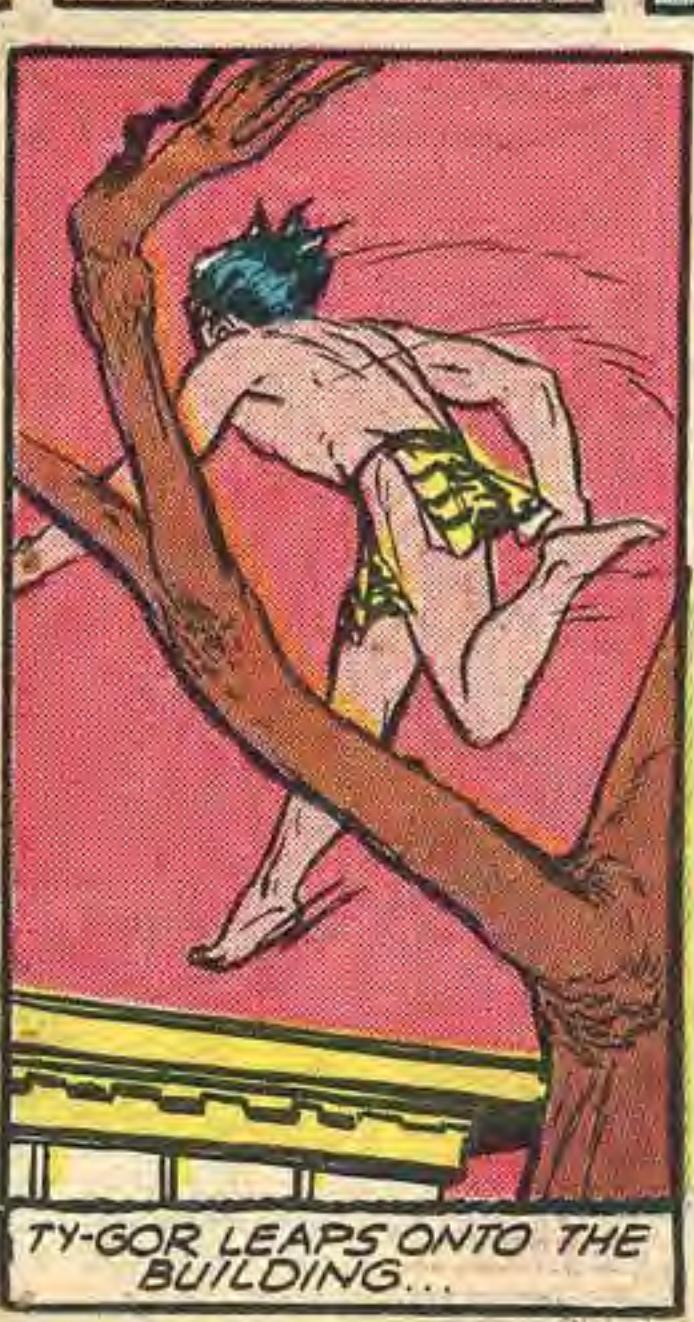


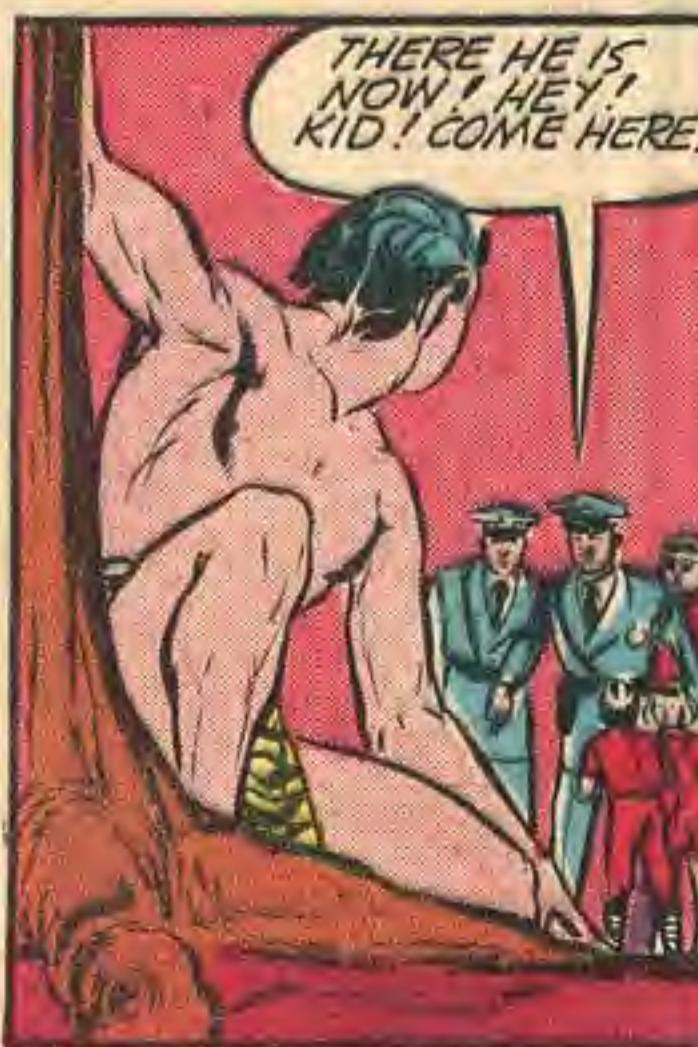
THE SCHOOL CHILDREN STAMPEDE FROM THE FLAMING BUILDING

THE SCHOOL
AUDITORIUM'S
ON FIRE! TURN
IN THE ALARM!



WASTE





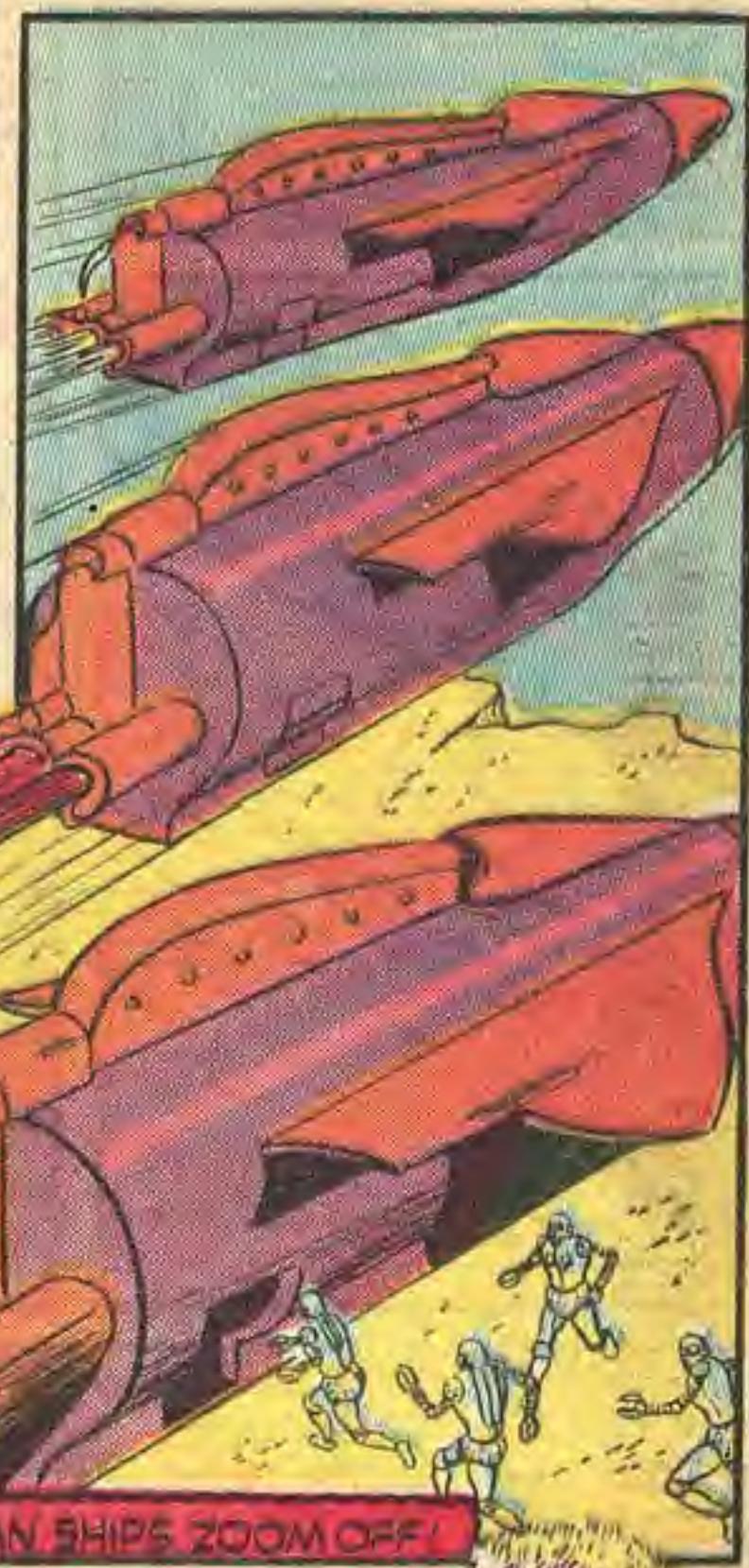
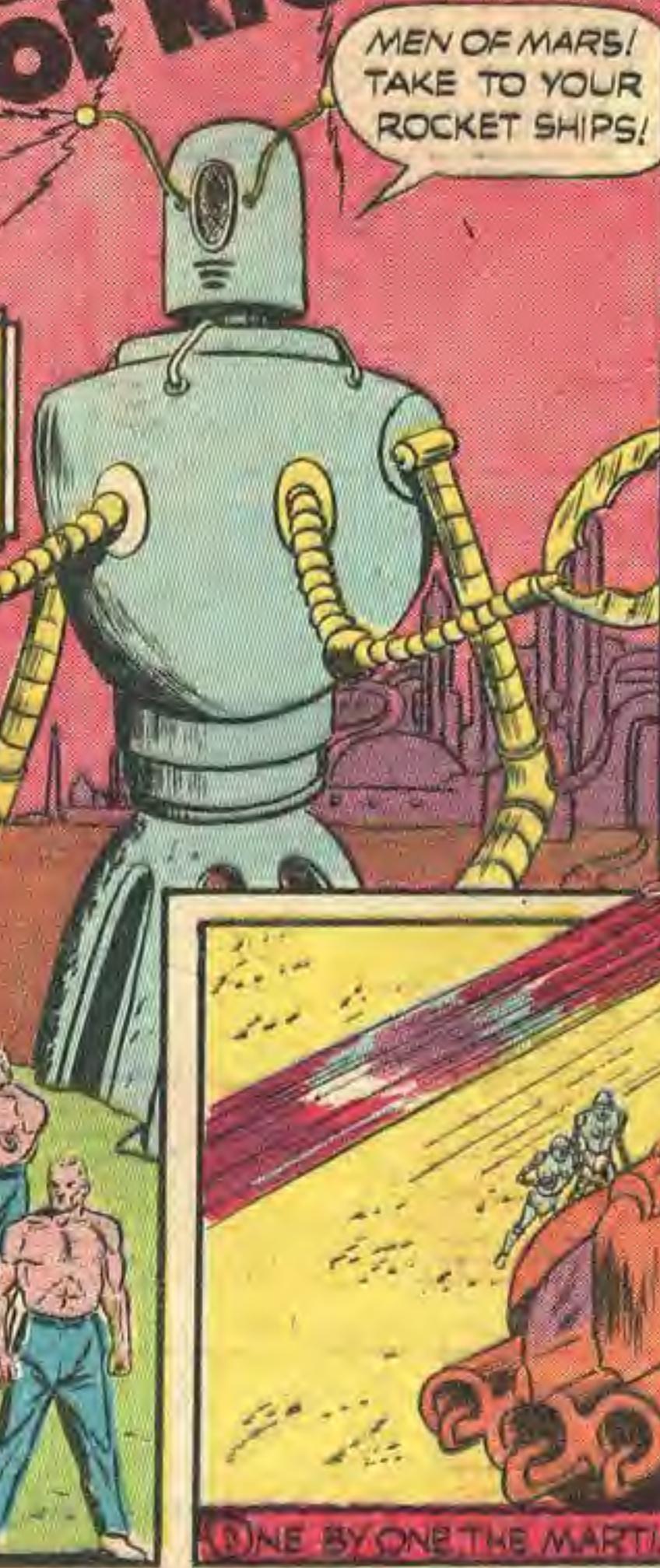
TY-GOR DASHES MADLY FROM THE SCENE.



DOC STRONG AND THE ISLE OF RIGHT

SET YOUR DIRECTO-RAYS FOR THE ISLE OF RIGHT AND TAKE OFF FOR EARTH AT ONCE!

DOC STRONG AND HIS FRIENDS ARE ON MARS... THE MONSTROUS MARTIAN KING IS SPEAKING!



THEN, THE DOOR IN THE HEAD OF THE 'KING' SWINGS OPEN AND STINKY JONES EMERGES!



OUR NEXT JOB IS TO DISMANTLE THIS 'KING' AND GET IT ABOARD MY OWN SPECIAL ROCKET SHIP!



LATER...

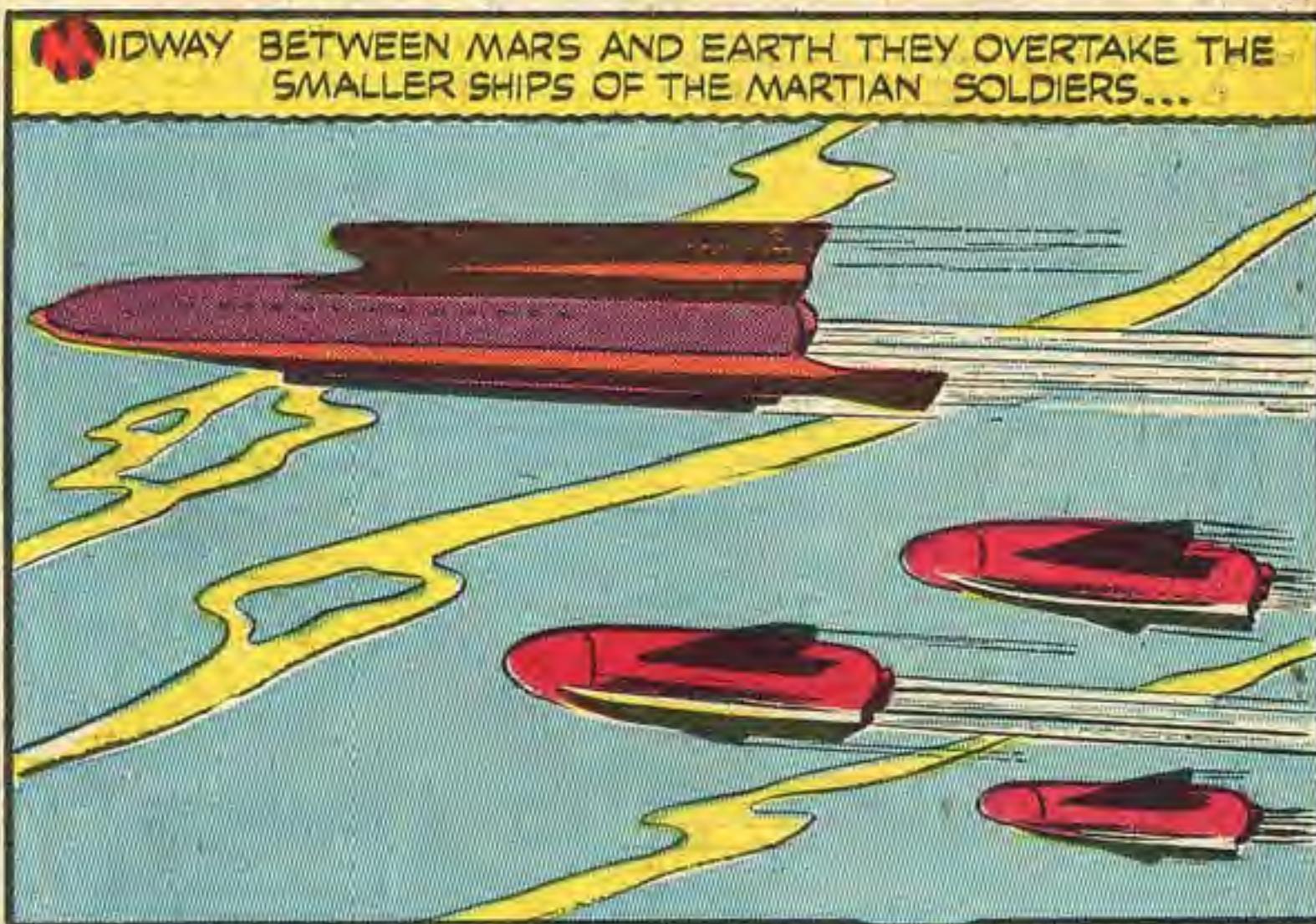
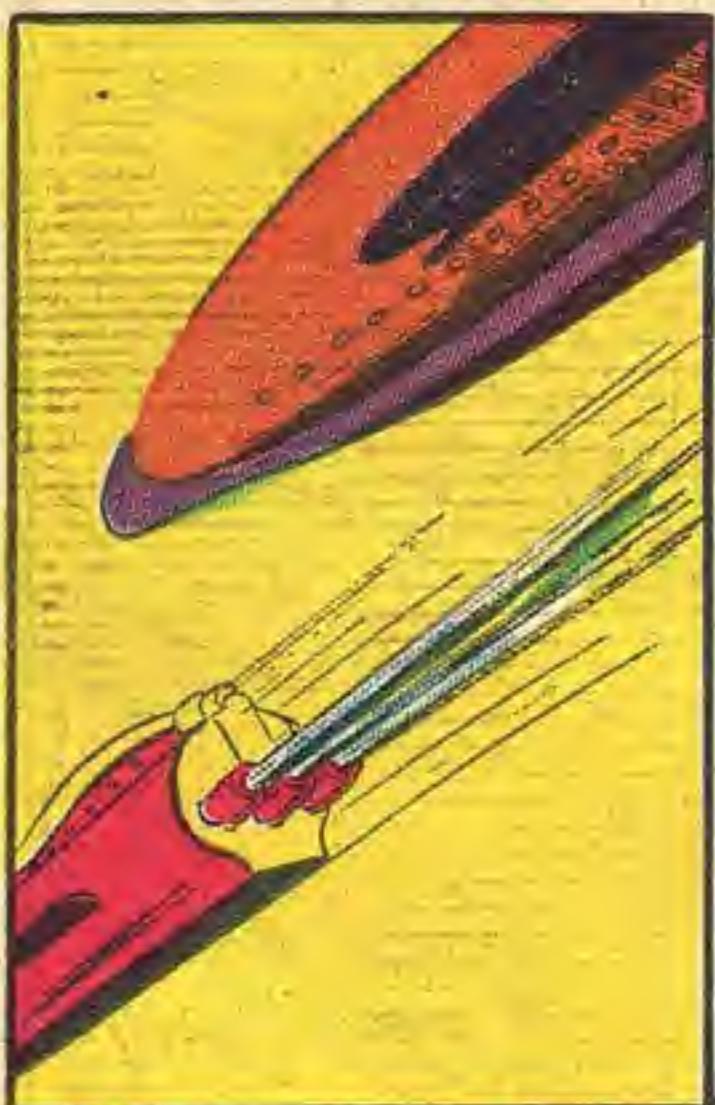
AS SOON AS WE GET THIS ABOARD WE'LL BE READY TO LEAVE!

I'LL CHECK THE FOOD SUPPLIES!

GOOD!

SOON DOC, ALICE, SAMPSON AND STINKY ROAR OFF IN THE HUGE SHIP!

WE'LL SOON OVERTAKE AND PASS THE MARTIAN SHIPS! THAT WILL GIVE US TIME TO SET UP THE KING AGAIN ON THE *ISLE OF RIGHT*, BEFORE MY SUBJECTS ARRIVE!



WE PASS 'EM FAST, EH, DOC!

SURE, SAMPSON! STINKY HAS BUILT A POWERFUL SHIP!

HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE US TO REACH THE *ISLE OF RIGHT*, STINKY?

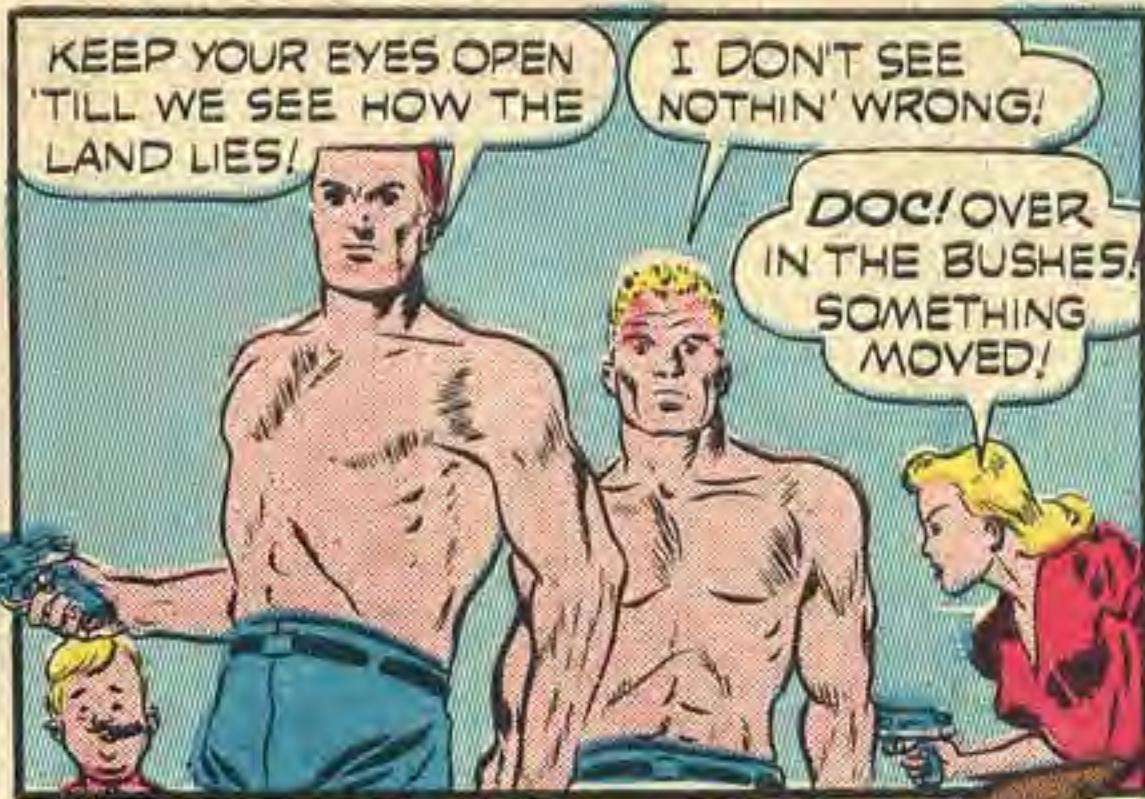
WE'LL BE THERE ANY MINUTE, ALICE!



THEY REACH THE *ISLE OF RIGHT* ON SCHEDULE



BARBARIAN WARRIORS, LED BY TEENA, SAVAGE FRIEND OF THE MONGOL KING, WATCH THE ARRIVAL OF THE SHIP!



WELL, HERE WE ARE! BUT THINGS SEEM AWFULLY QUIET! COME OUT CAUTIOUSLY! THERE MAY BE OTHERS ON THE ISLAND!

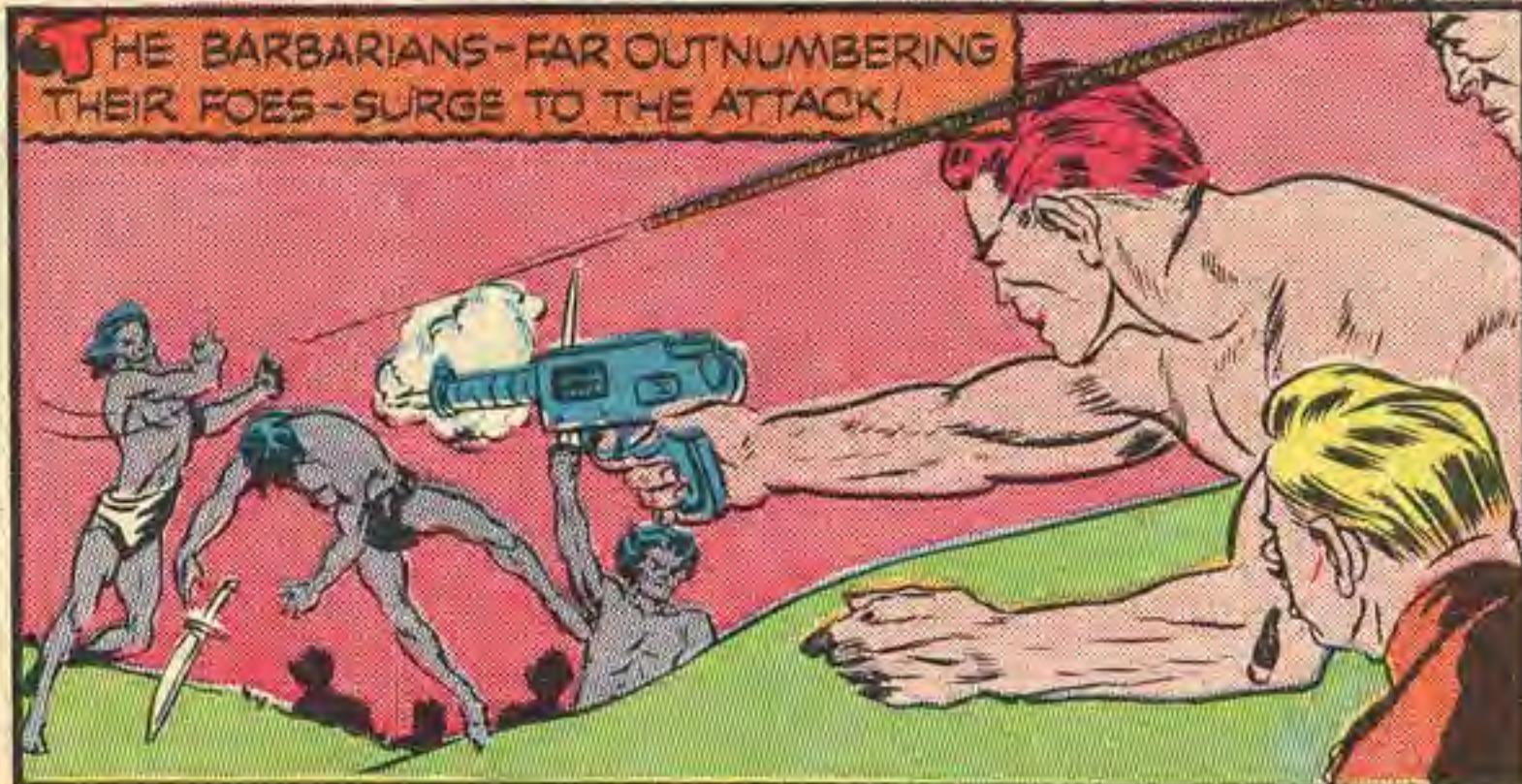
KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN 'TILL WE SEE HOW THE LAND LIES!

I DON'T SEE NOTHIN' WRONG!

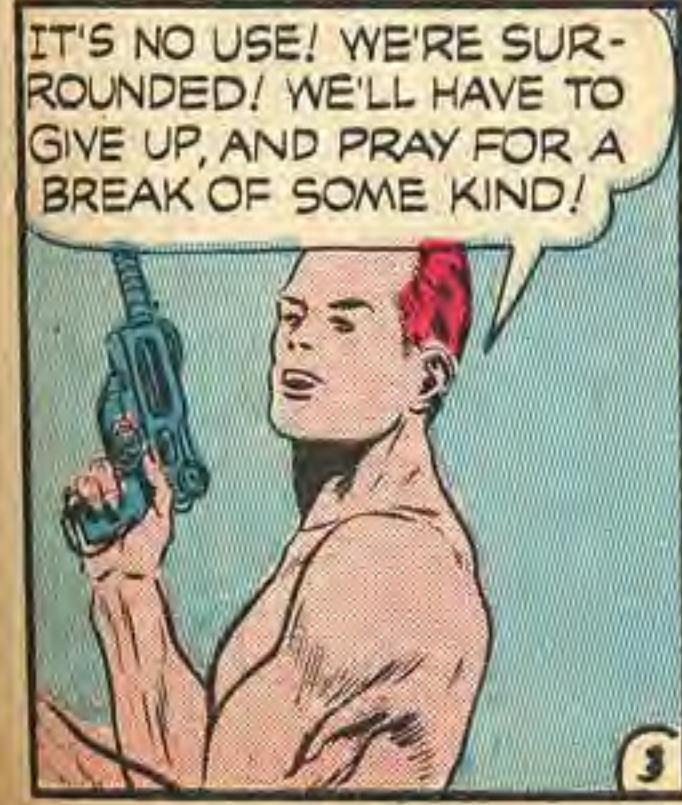
DOC! OVER IN THE BUSHES, SOMETHING MOVED!



IT'S NO USE! WE'RE SURROUNDED! WE'LL HAVE TO GIVE UP, AND PRAY FOR A BREAK OF SOME KIND!



THE BARBARIANS - FAR OUTNUMBERING THEIR FOES - SURGE TO THE ATTACK!



THE MARTIANS WILL ARRIVE SOON, WON'T THEY, STINKY?

SURE! BUT WHAT GOOD IS THAT? THEY WON'T LISTEN TO ANYBODY BUT THE "KING"!

THE SHIPS OF THE MARTIAN
SOLDIERS SOON ROAR INTO
VIEW!

TO COVER! QUICK-UNTIL WE
DISCOVER WHAT THIS IS ALL
ABOUT!

THE MARTIAN WARRIORS PILE
OUT OF THEIR PLANES WITH
GUNS READY!



THE BARBARIC WEAPONS
HAVE NO EFFECT ON THE
ARMORED MARTIANS, WHOSE
GUNS MOW DOWN THE PRIMITIVES IN WAVES!



THE BARBARIAN HORDE IS COMPLETELY
ROUTED!

FLEE! FLEE! NEVER MIND
THE WHITE DOGS! OUR
LIVES ARE AT STAKE!



COME ON, EVERYONE! THE MARTIANS ARE HOT IN PURSUIT OF THE BARBARIANS! NOW'S OUR CHANCE TO GET BACK TO THE ROCKET SHIP AND SET UP THE "KING"!

I'M RIGHT WITH YOU, DOC!



SAMPSON, YOU AND ALICE AND STINKY SET UP THE "KING"! IT WON'T TAKE YOU LONG...AND BY THE TIME THE MARTIANS COME BACK STINKY WILL BE ABLE TO CONTROL THEM!



WHERE ARE YOU GOING, DOC?

AFTER THAT GIRL! SHE'S A TRUSTED LIEUTENANT OF RITTER'S AND I WANT ALL THE INFORMATION SHE CAN GIVE ME!



DOC SETS OUT AFTER TEENA!

NO SIGN OF HER YET! BUT SHE COULDN'T HAVE LEFT THE ISLAND!

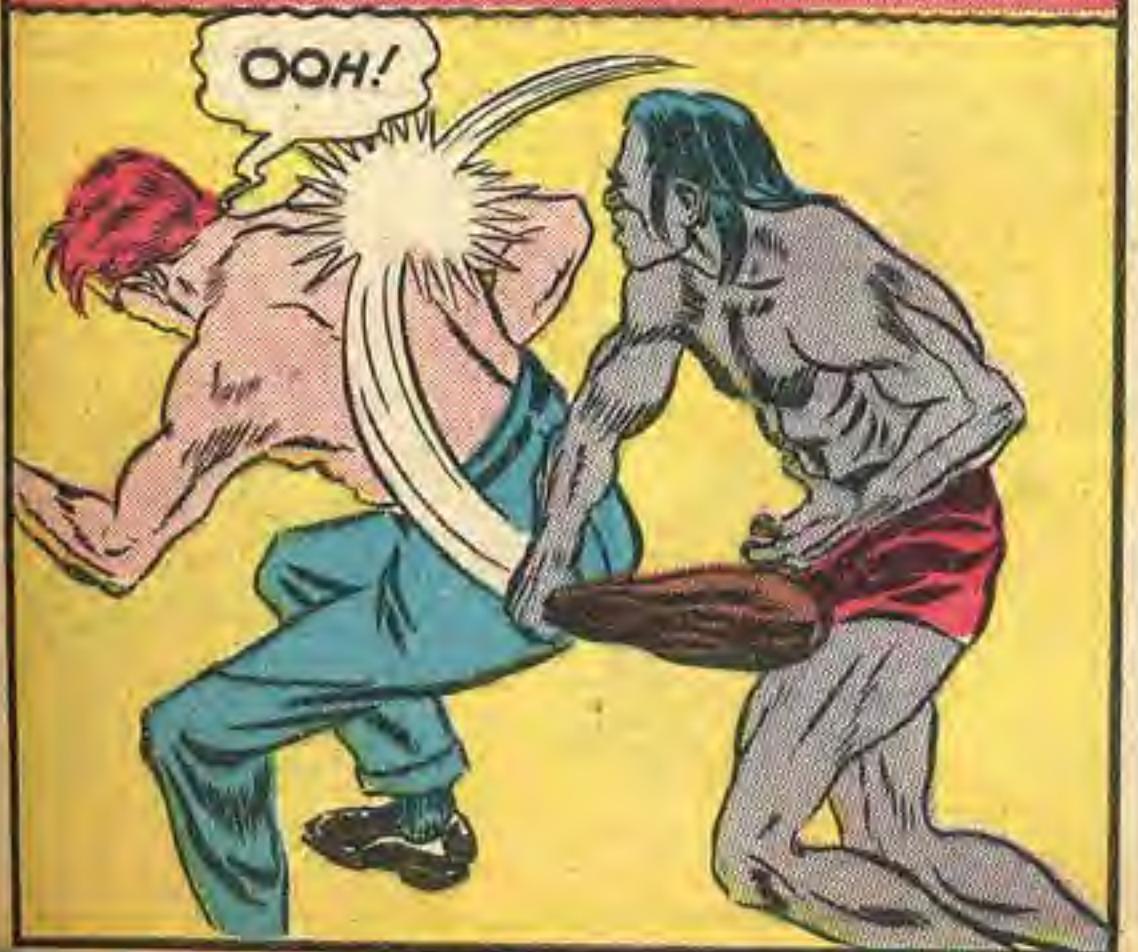


SSSHH! THERE'S DOC STRONG! GET HIM--- BUT ALIVE!



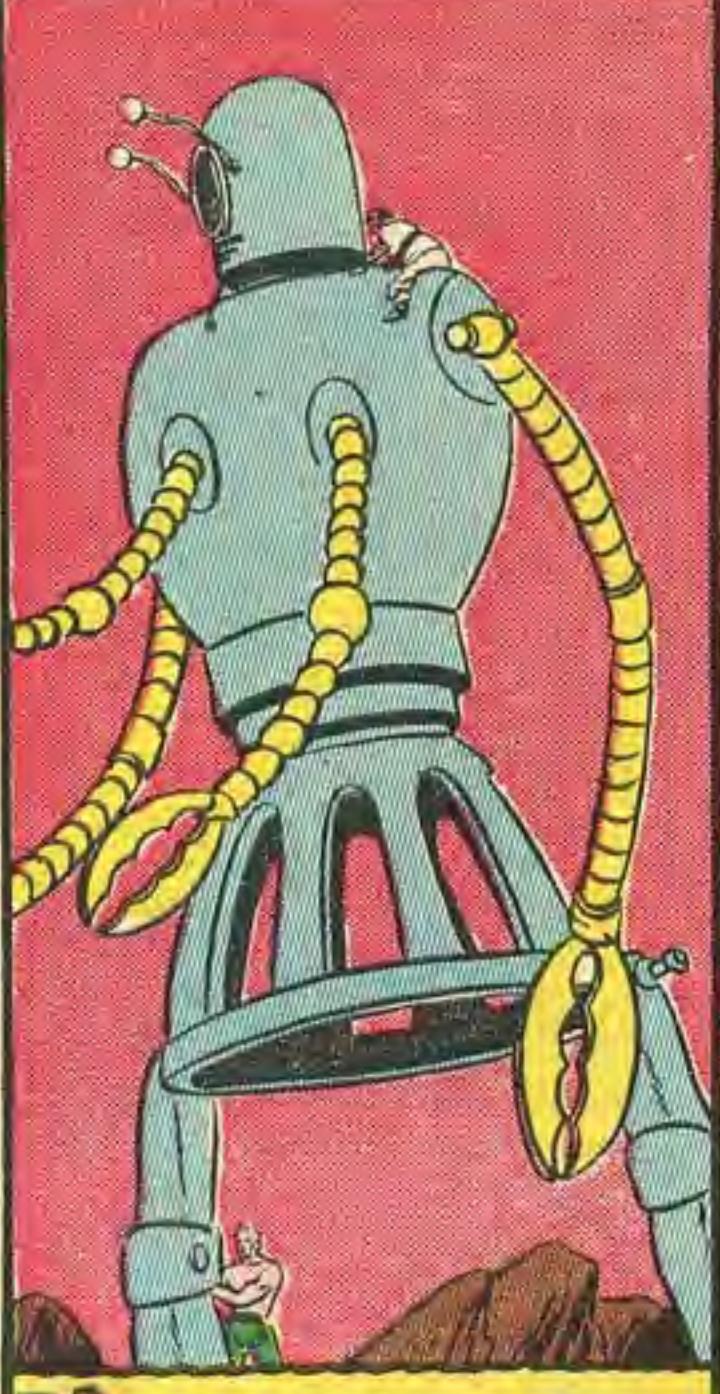
1 BARS ARIAN APPROACHES DOC FROM THE REAR!

OOH!

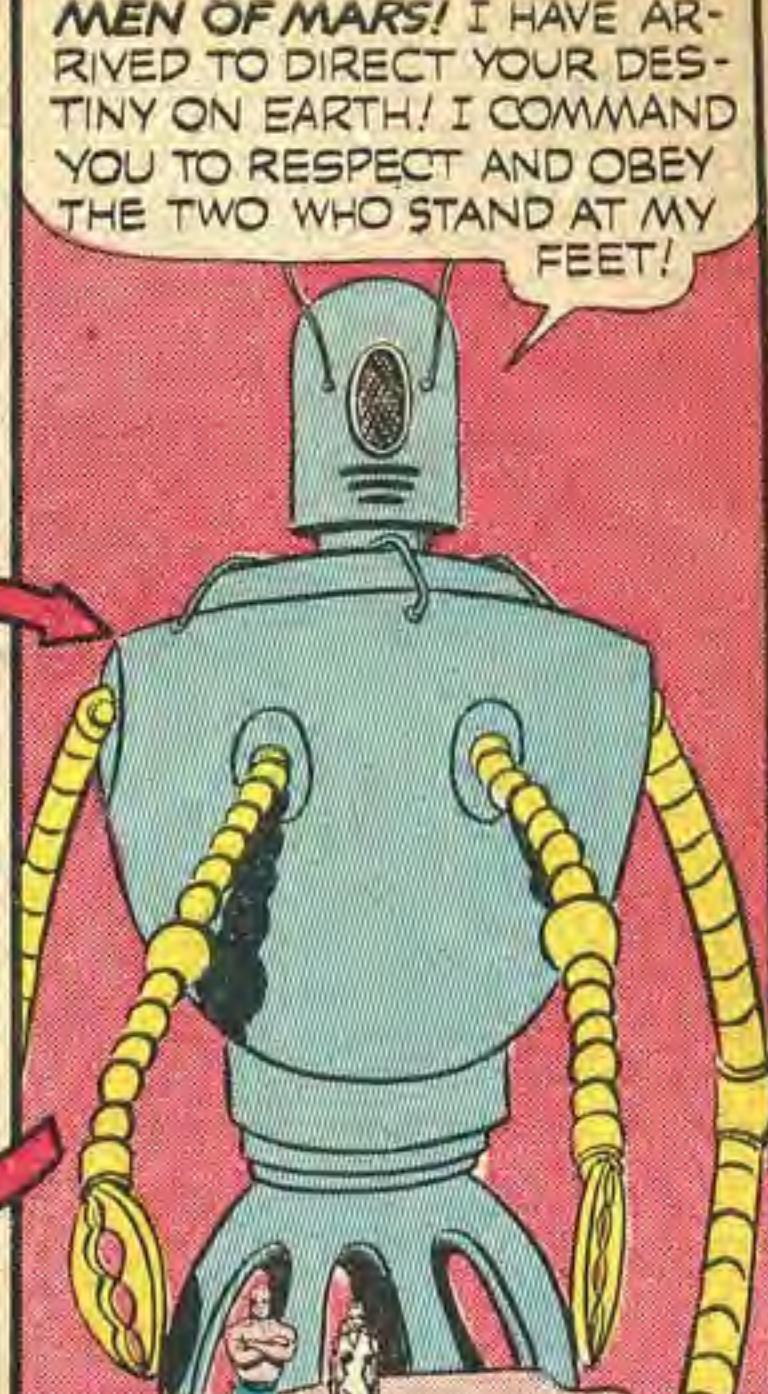


CARRY HIM TO OUR GALLEON! GUSTAVE RITTER WILL HAVE PROOF THAT HIS DECISION TO PUT ME IN COMMAND HERE WAS NOT A WRONG ONE!





HEY, SAMPSON! . . . ALICE,
HERE COME THE MARTIANS
AGAIN! JUST LEAVE EVERY-
THING TO ME!



MEN OF MARS! I HAVE AR-
RIVED TO DIRECT YOUR DES-
TINY ON EARTH! I COMMAND
YOU TO RESPECT AND OBEY
THE TWO WHO STAND AT MY
FEET!

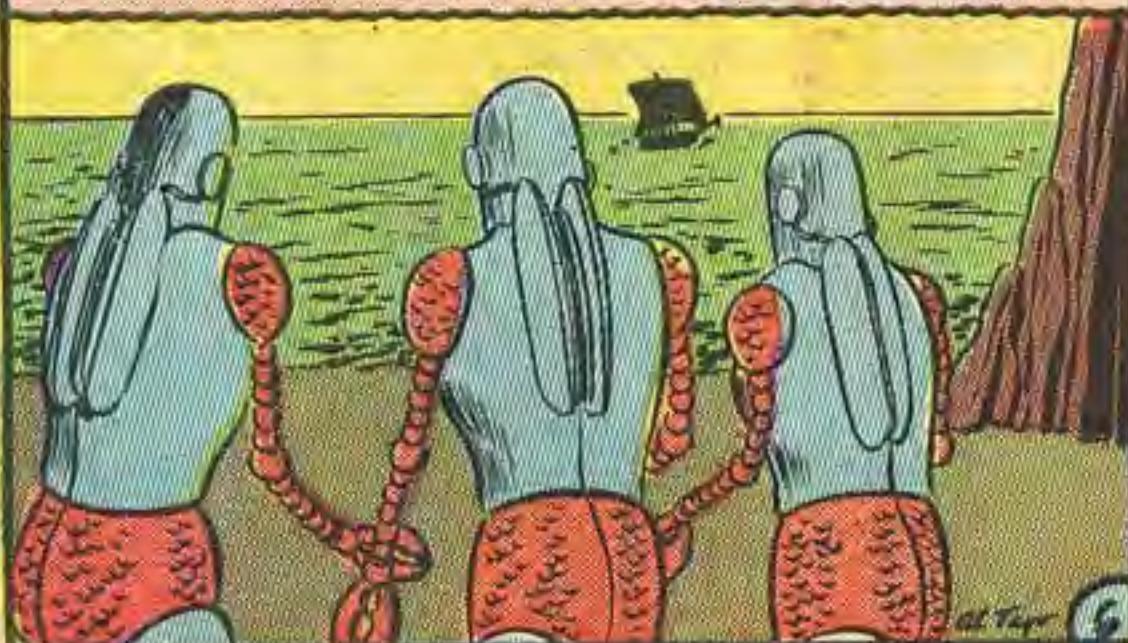
MEANWHILE SAMPSON AND
STINKY HAVE PUT THE FIN-
ISHING TOUCHES ON THE
RE-ASSEMBLED "KING"!



BUT DOC, UNCONSCIOUS, IS ALREADY BEING
CARRIED ABOARD THE BARBARIAN SHIP!



THE MARTIANS, ARRIVING AT THE COVE, ARE
UNABLE TO SEE THE GALLEON, DUE TO THEIR
POOR EYESIGHT!



WHEN DOC
REGAINS
CONSCIOUSNESS..



ON BOARD MY GAL-
LEON, ON YOUR WAY
TO RITTER'S
STRONGHOLD.



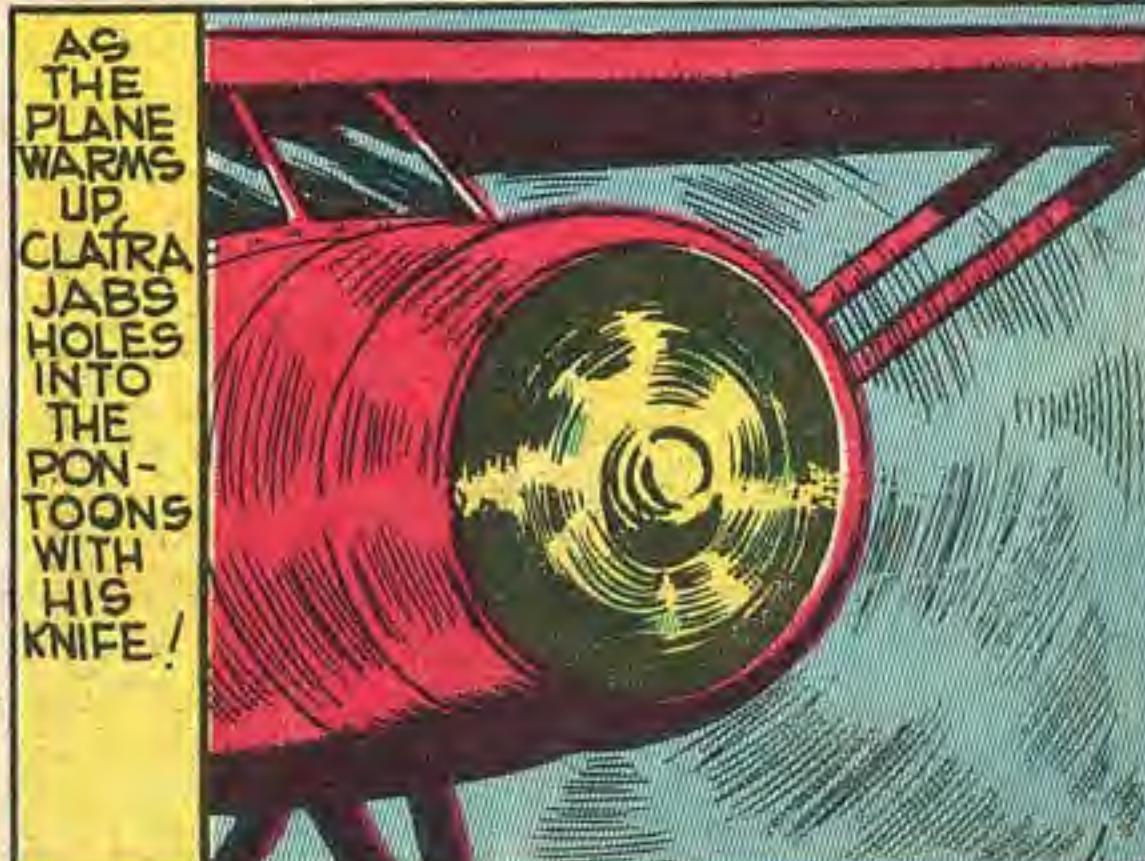
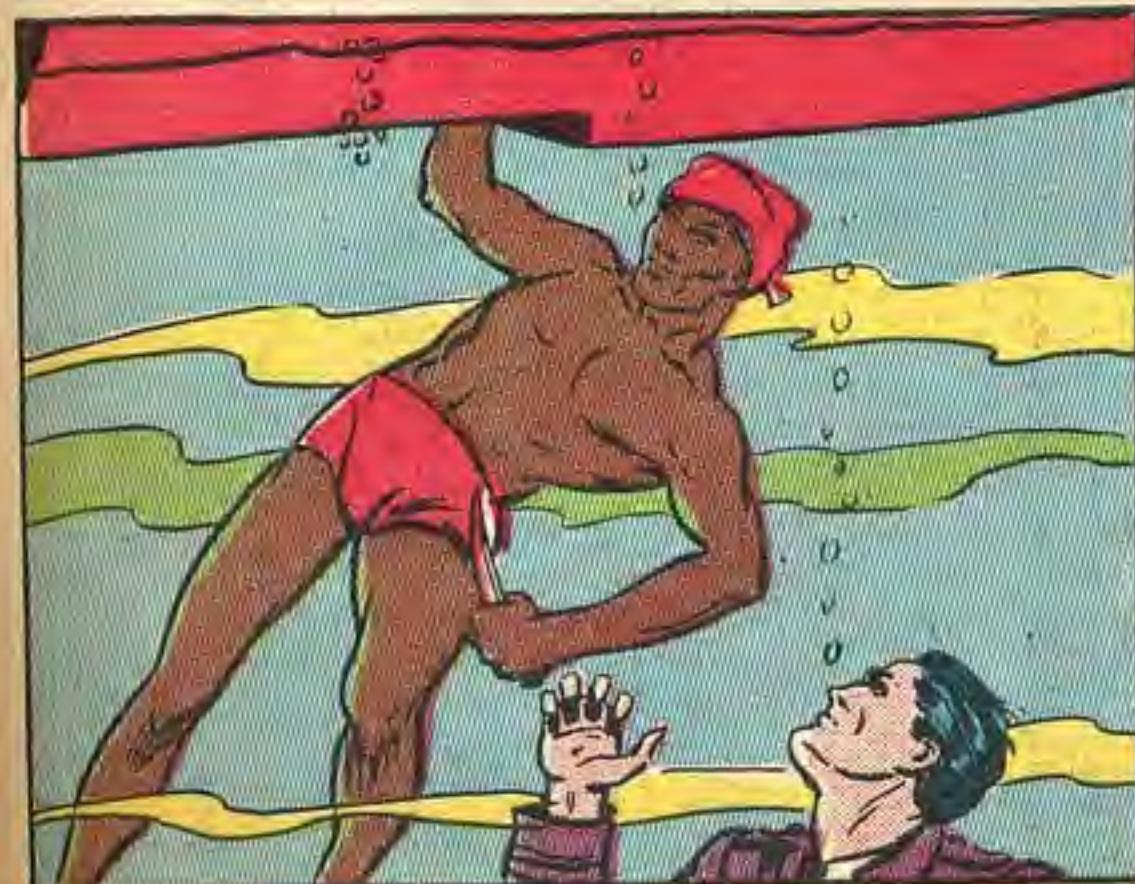
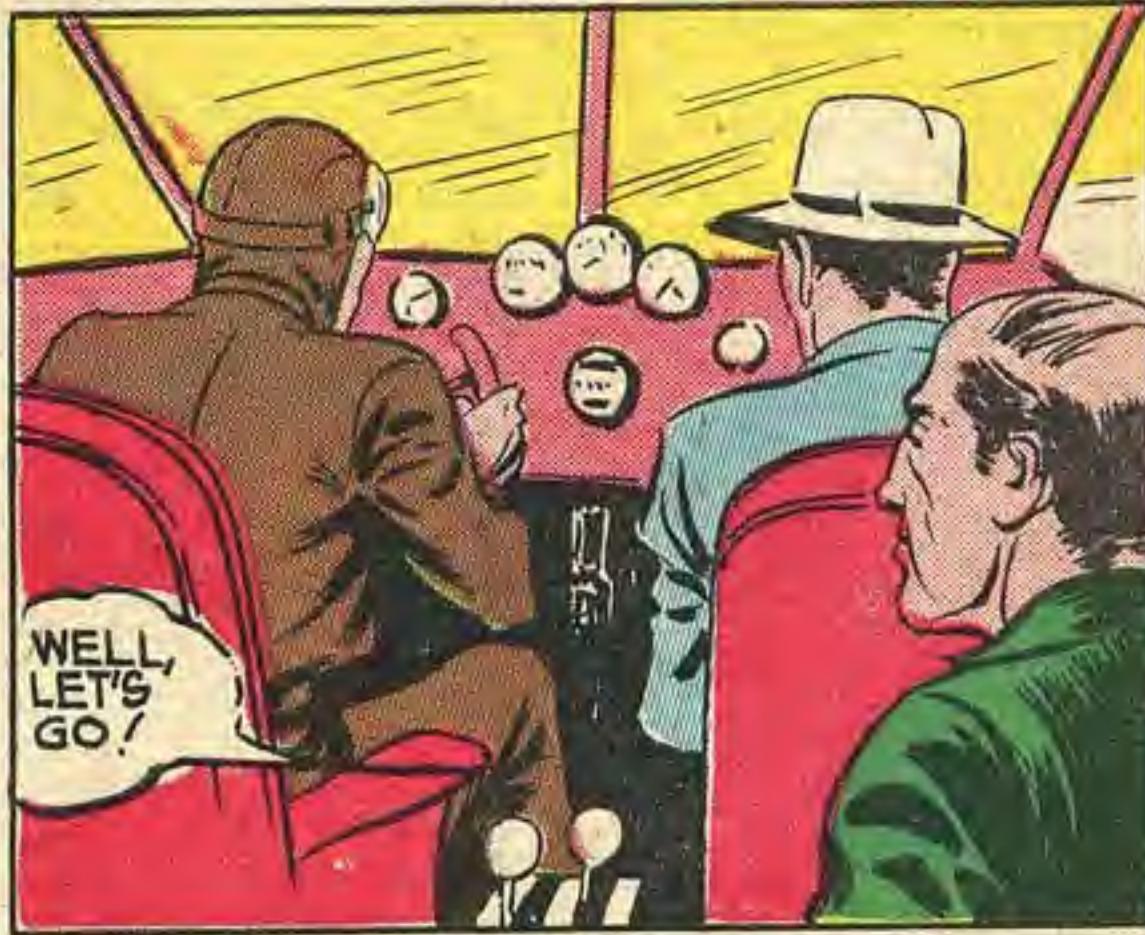
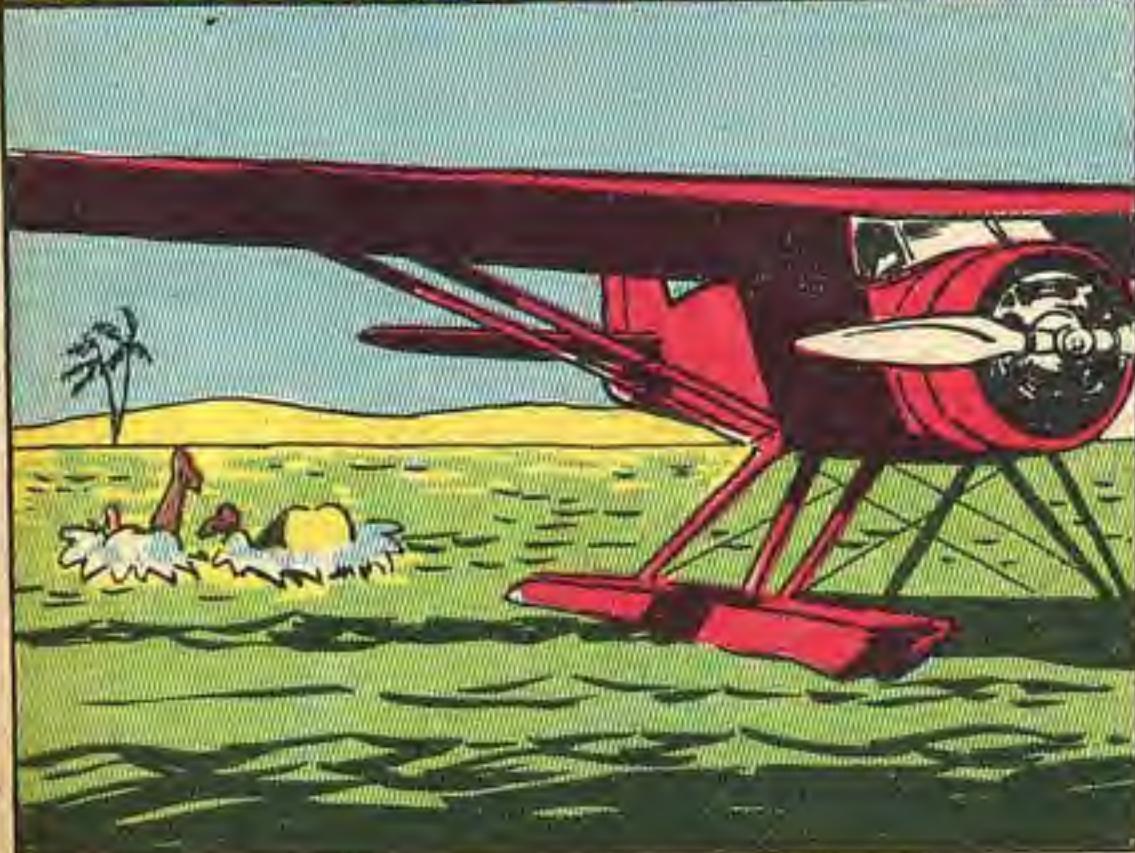
Doc Strong's
ADVENTURES CON-
TINUE IN THE NEXT
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RIBBON COMICS!

LOOP LOGAN



TWO ITALIAN SPIES WAY-LAID LOOP LOGAN AND TOSSSED HIM - BOUND AND WEIGHTED - INTO THE WATERS OF THE NILE. BUT LOGAN'S FAITHFUL SERVANT, CLATRA, DOVE TO HIS RESCUE... NOW, JUST AS THE SPIES ARE ABOUT TO TAKE OFF IN THEIR SEAPLANE, LOOP AND CLATRA APPROACH THROUGH THE WATER!

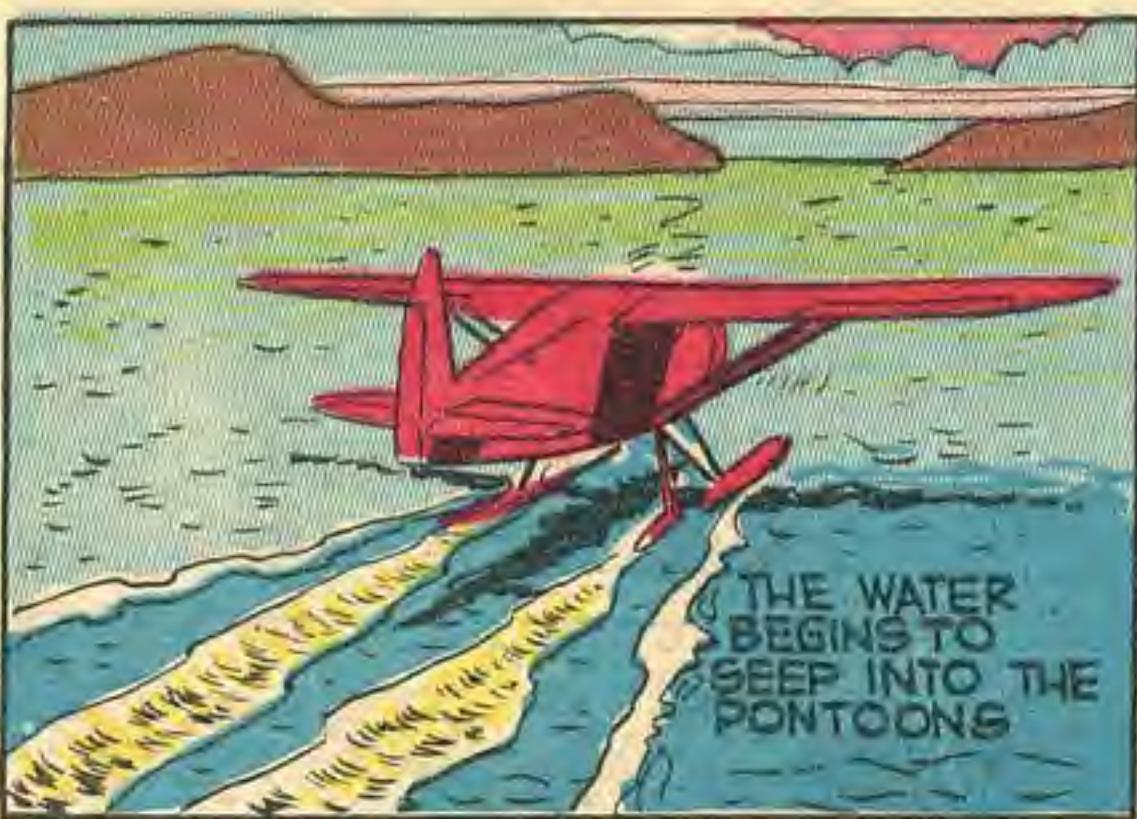
THEY SURFACE-DIVE BENEATH THE SHIP...

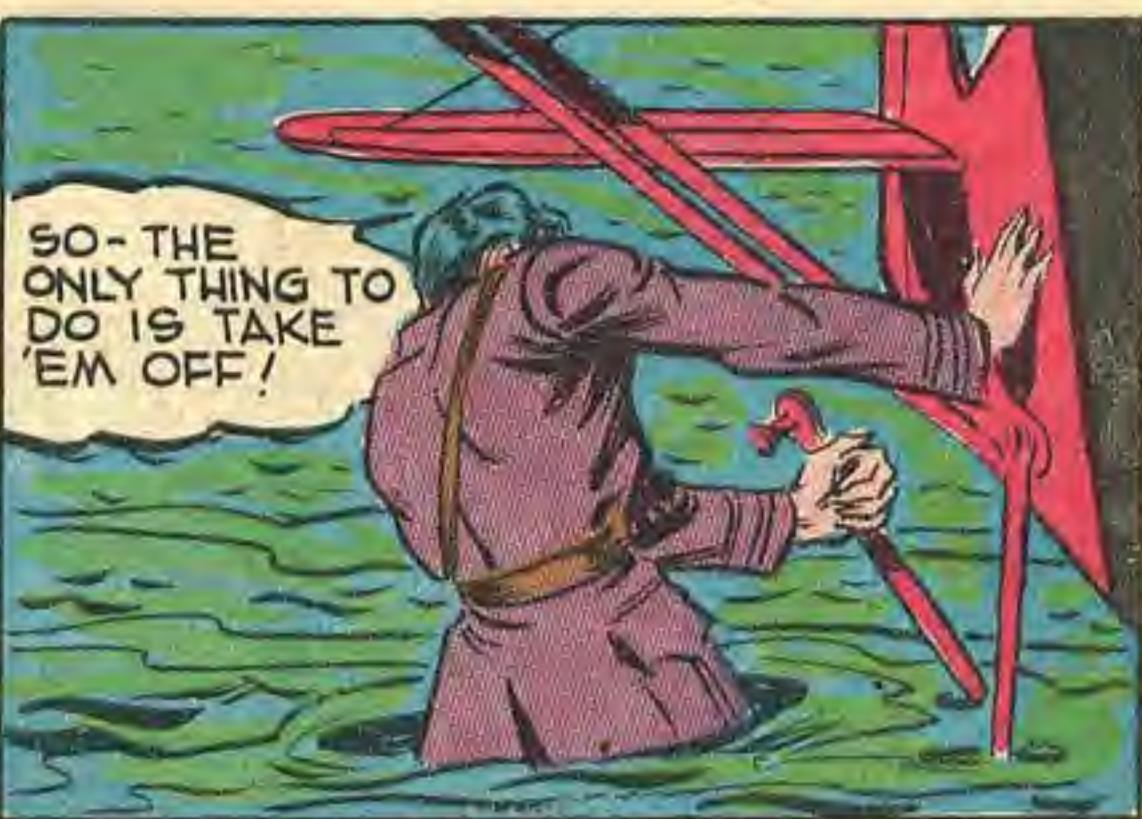


THE SHIP STARTS DOWN THE RIVER...



WITH LOOP AND CLATRA CLOSE BEHIND!



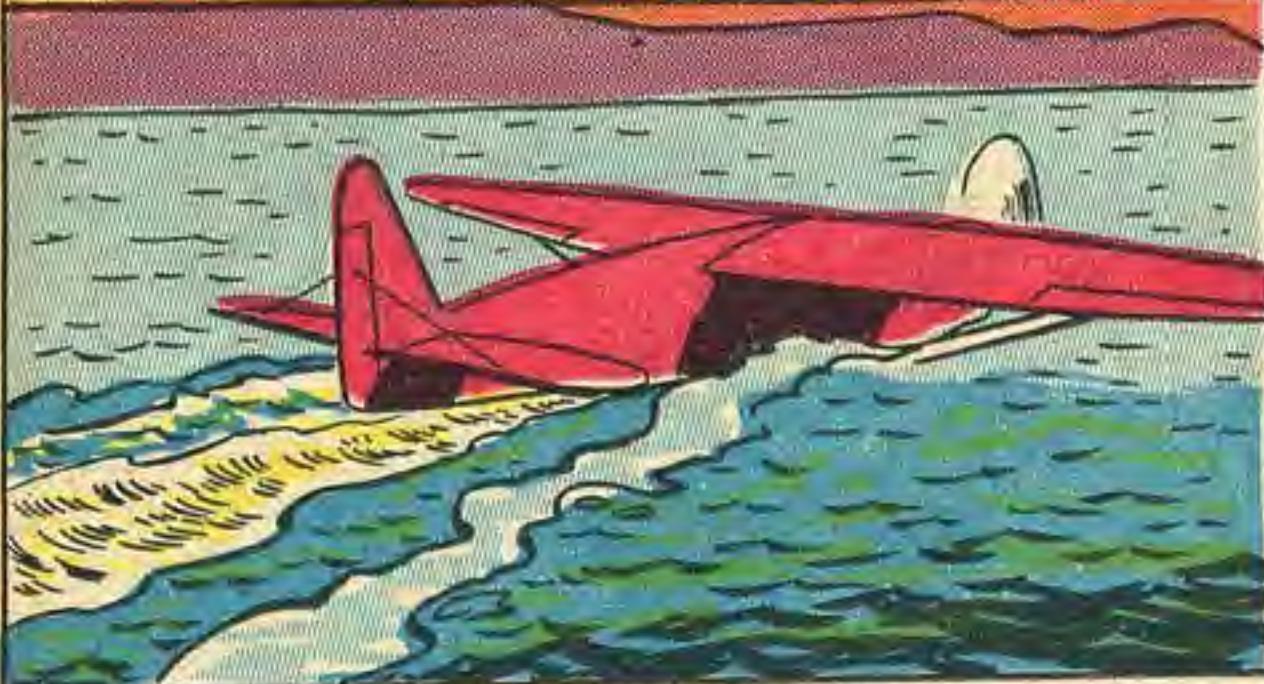




DOWN THE RIVER ON THE SOUTH BANK ARE THE STEPS OF AN EGYPTIAN RIVER-WORSHIPPER'S TEMPLE



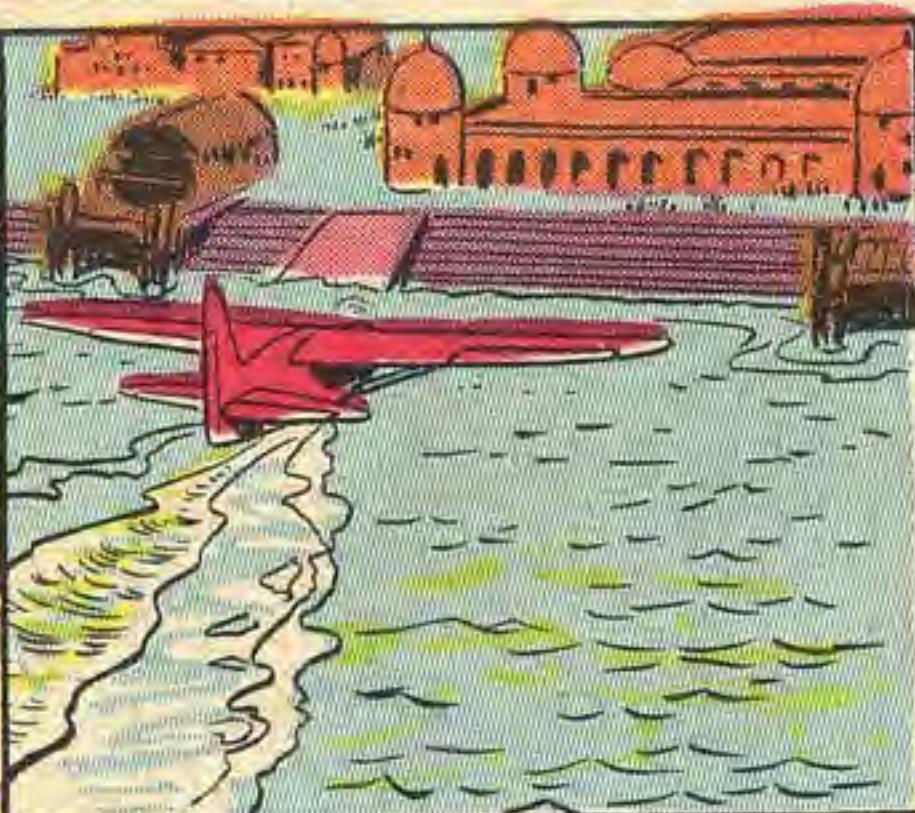
LOGAN GUNS THE SEAPLANE - AND IT ROARS ACROSS THE WATER...



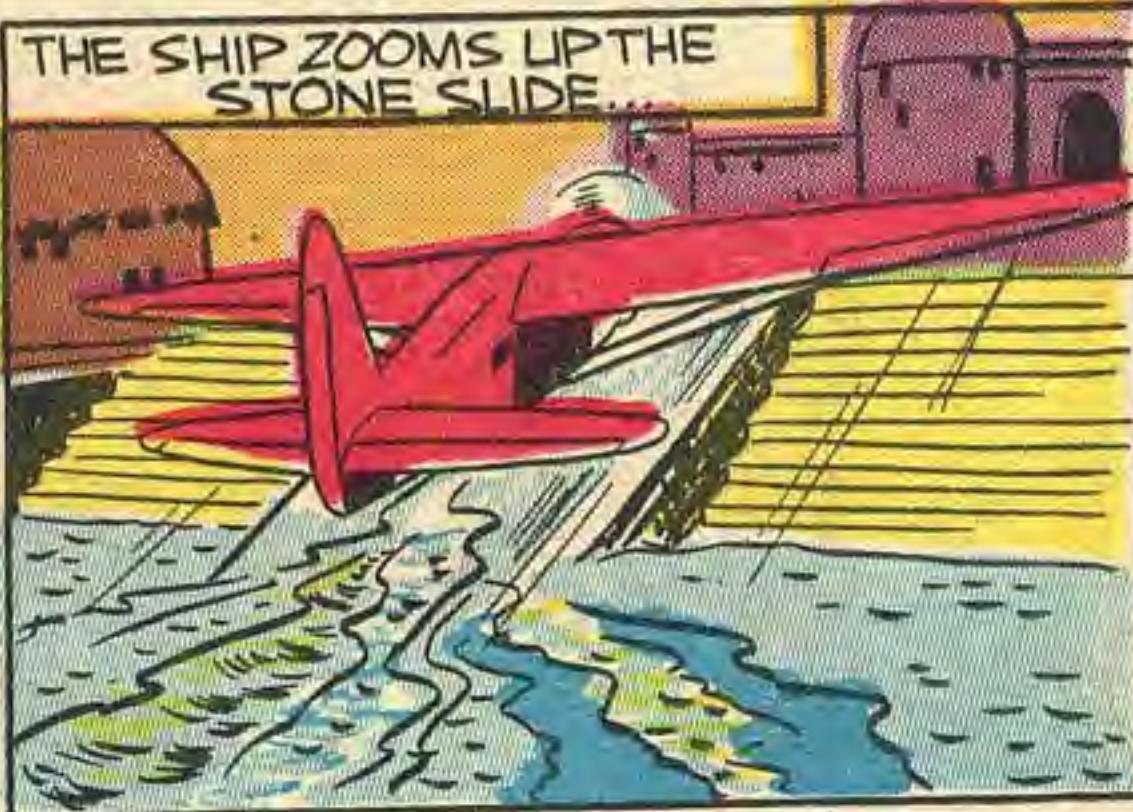
HOLD YOUR TURBAN, CLATRA! WE EITHER MAKE IT, OR THE EGYPTIANS WILL BE SAYING PRAYERS FOR US TONIGHT!



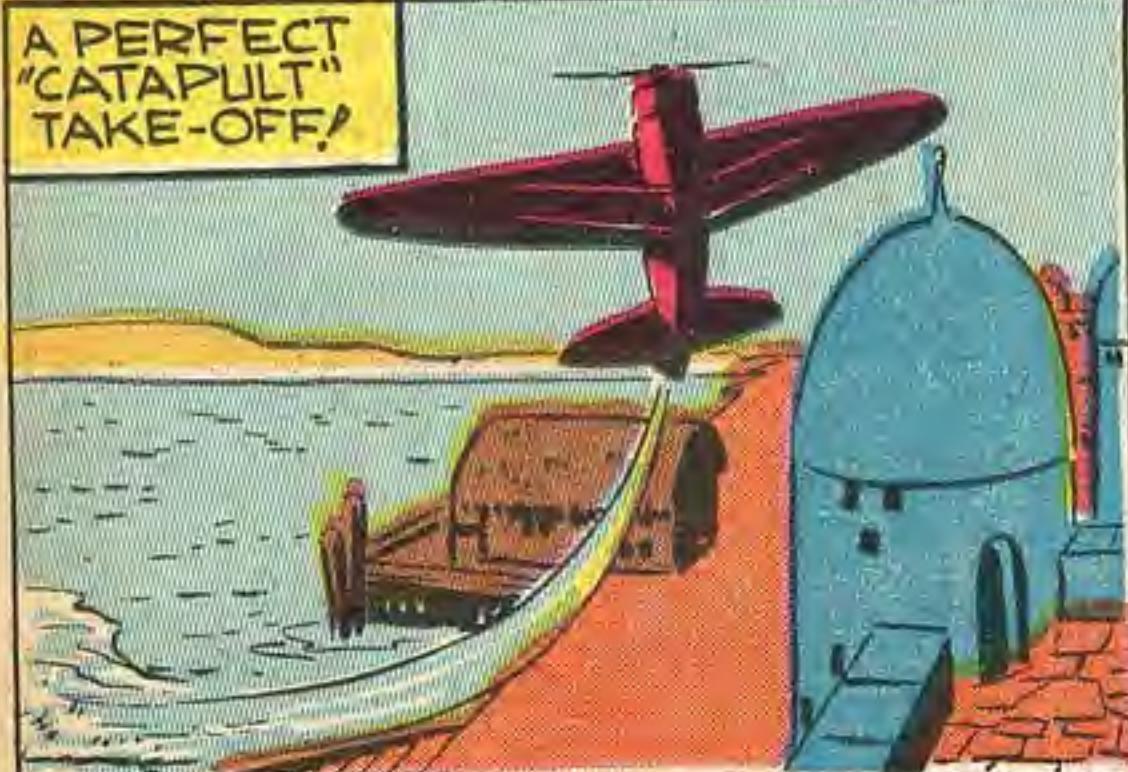
LOOP SWINGS THE PLANE SHARPLY SEND-ING IT ACROSS STREAM TO-WARDS THE TEM-PLE...



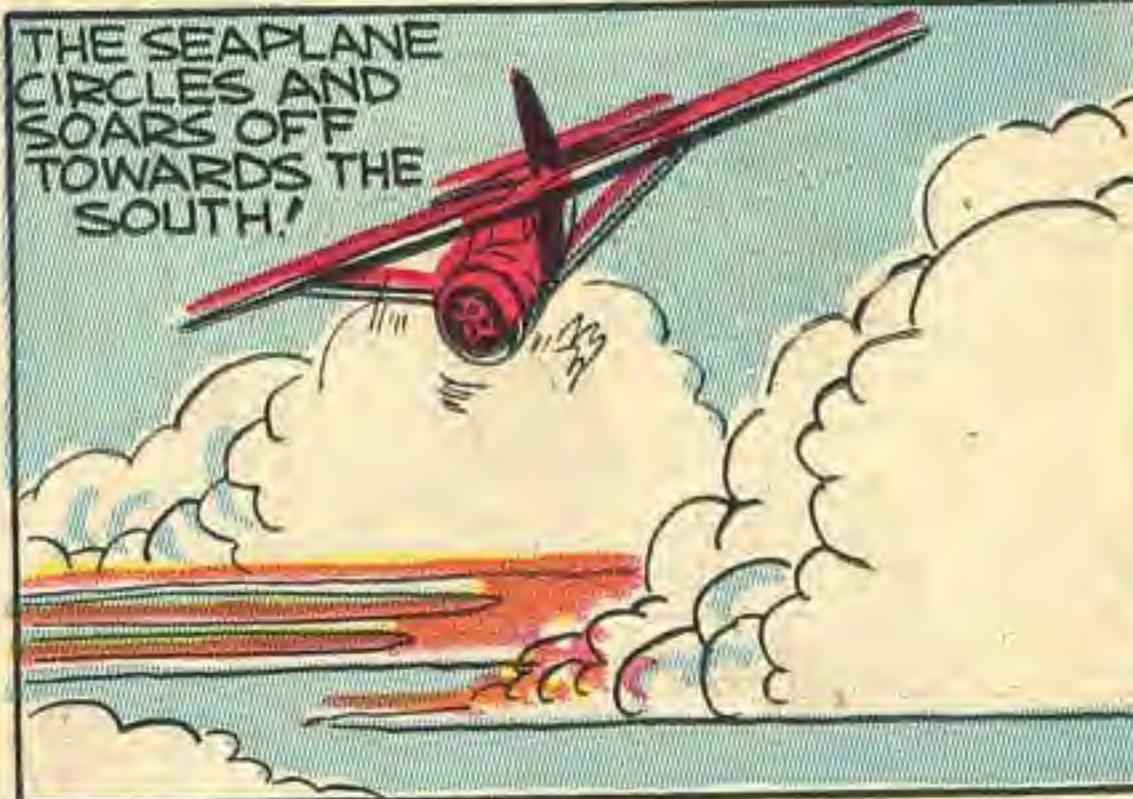
THE SHIP ZOOMS UP THE STONE SLIDE.



A PERFECT "CATAPULT" TAKE-OFF!



THE SEAPLANE CIRCLES AND SOARS OFF TOWARDS THE SOUTH!



BUT WHAT IS PURPOSE OF SEEKING ITALIAN BASE?



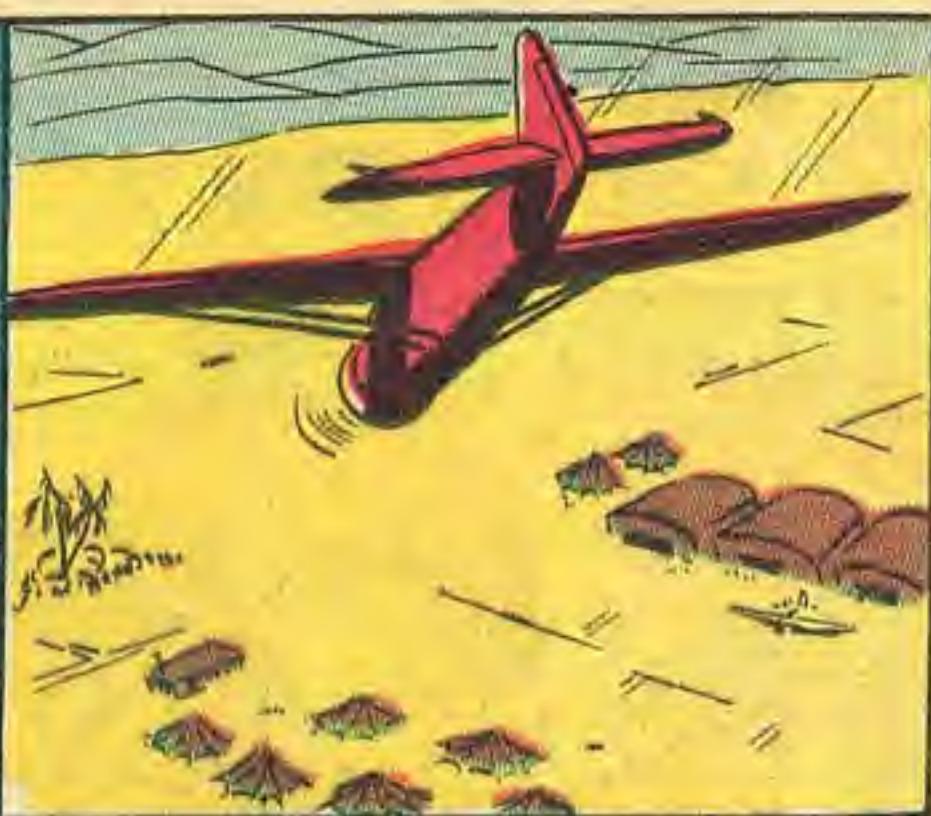
THOSE MEN TRIED TO GET THE BRITISH DEFENSE PLANS FROM ME!!



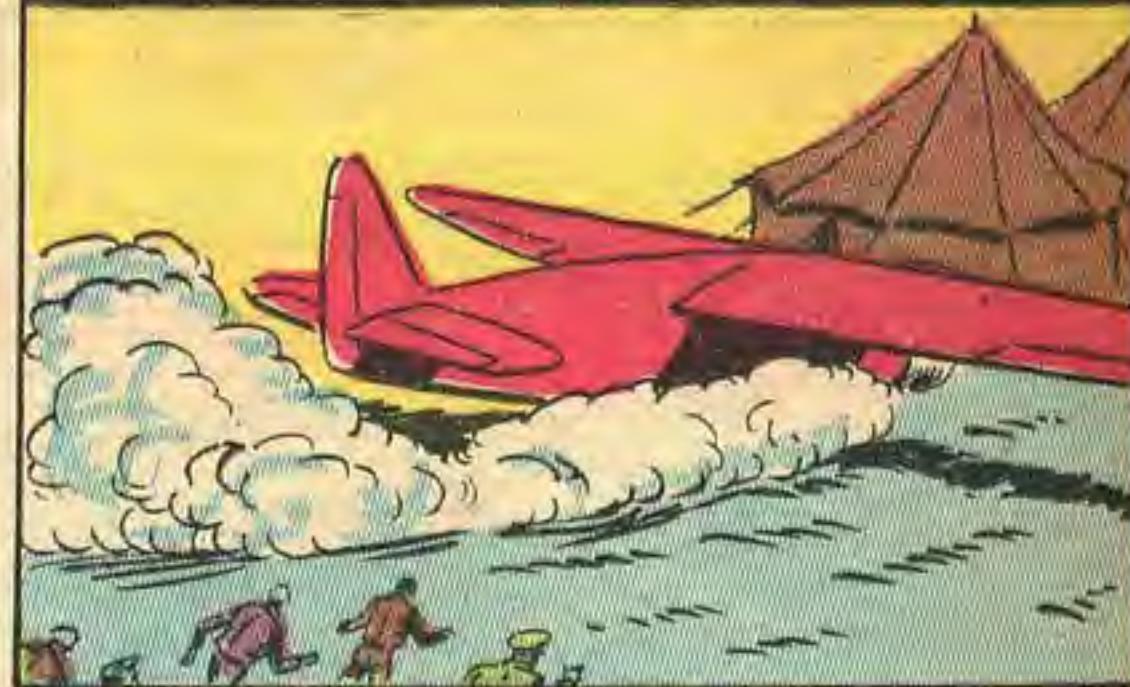
THEY WERE TO DELIVER THEM TO THE ITALIAN FLIERS IN THE DESERT! WE'RE GOIN' TO SEE THAT THEY GET THE PLANS - BUT NOT THE ONES THEY'RE AFTER!



HOURS
LATER,
OVER
THE
SECRET
ITALIAN
DROME
IN
THE
EGYPTIAN
DESERT



LOGAN PANCAKES THE SHIP TO THE
SANDS...



VIVE ITALIA! WHERE ARE
YOUR COMPATRIOTS?

THEY
RECEIVED
OTHER
ORDERS
IN CAIRO!

I HAVE HERE THE
NECESSARY DATA
CONCERNING
THE BRITISH
DEFENCES
OF THE
SUEZ
CANAL!!

WHEN THE VICTORY IS WON, IL
DUCE HIMSELF WILL
BLESS YOU!

LOOP GIVES
THE OFFICER
FALSE PLANS
THAT WILL
LEAD THE
ITALIANS
INTO A
TRAP!

WITH THESE PLANS, OUR
FLIERS WILL BE ABLE TO
BOMB THE BRITISH
POSITIONS TO
OBLIVION! NOW-
WHAT WOULD
YOU LIKE?
A REST?

NO, THANKS! I HAVE ANOTHER
JOB TO DO FOR...ER...FOR
GREATER ITALY! SO IF
YOU'LL FIX ME UP WITH
A NEW PLANE, WE'LL BE
ON OUR WAY!

IT IS AS
GOOD
AS DONE!

SO LONG, BOYS! YOU
DON'T KNOW WHAT A
PLEASURE IT WAS
TO BE HERE!

LOOP AND CLATRA TAKE OFF AGAIN
FOR CAIRO...

RIDE THE
WAR-TORN
SKIES OF
THE
EASTERN
HEMISPHERE
WITH
LOOP
LOGAN
EVERY
MONTH IN
BLUE
RIBBON
COMICS
!!



COWBOY HUMOR



WHEN it is considered that the late Will Rogers was a cowboy most interesting questions arise. Among the questions are: What is there in the life of a cowboy that would produce one of the greatest of humorists and one of the world's most beloved philosophers? Are the cowboys humorous or funny as a class? Are they born philosophers or do they develop their quaint and homely philosophy as a result of their secluded and oftentimes lonely life on the range? The answers are forthcoming:

Cowboys are humorists almost without exception. All of them are funny. All are philosophical. Their humor takes different forms. Some, like Rogers, deal in a highly philosophical and refined type of comedy despite its quaintness. Others are out-and-out clowns who deal in the utterly ridiculous and accompany their quips with outlandish bodily gestures and facial contortions and grimaces.

Cowboy comedy, particularly in the bunk houses, is apt to take on rather a rough and ribald nature but, always, it is philosophical. The one-line comedy now favored by editors is rare among cowboys although Will Rogers was a master of it. The usual cowboy humor is in the form of repartee. An example:—

"I ain't aiming to take a wife."—and the answer:

"Wives is something that falls when they ain't even aimed at."

"Yeah, I know, but I got my guard up, I'm figgering I got no more need of a wife than a skunk's got for smelling salts."

Nothing refined about that but quite often, as was the case with Will Rogers, the cowboy produces gems of thought. For instance:—

A preacher was exhorting girls about the evils of dancing when a cowboy protested:

"Don't put check-reins on them gals, person. 'Cause flowers grow prettiest when

they're wild and angels has got wings so they can fly around a little."

And Will Rogers' own observation

when someone corrected his English: "I notice that a lot of folks that ain't sayin' ain't ain't eating regular."

The cowboy riding the ranges of the West is alone, save for his mount. Companionship between man and horse is close and affectionate but necessarily mute. The wide-open spaces and magnificent distances give the lone cowboy much time for reverie, mental speculation and even deep study. He is bound to become philosophical in a broad, tolerant way. That he becomes humorous, too, is due, of course, to the fact that he must make his own fun as he goes along. Otherwise his life would become unbearable.

Incidentally this solitude and introspection tend to make the cowboys damned good poker players both literally and figuratively.



HEAR YE! HEAR YE! IN THE NAME
OF KING JOHN, I ANNOUNCE A
TOURNEY TO BE HELD IN
LONDON TOWN!

The GREEN FALCON



THE WINNERS OF THE TOURNEY
WILL BE CHOSEN TO SERVE
IN HIS MAJESTY'S GUARDS!
HEAR YE! HEAR YE!

HMMPH! 'TIS
NOT AN HONOR
TO BE IN THAT
TYRANT'S
SERVICE!

AYE! I WOULD
NOT DO IT
FOR TWICE
THE WAGES!

IN THE PALACE OF JOHN.

THE TOWNSMEN WILL TURN
OUT IN DROVES FOR MY
CONTEST, NO DOUBT! EH,
BOLTYN?

AYE, YOUR MA-
JESTY! IT IS AN
HONOR NOT TO
BE SPURNED.

A MESSENGER ENTERS EXCITEDLY!

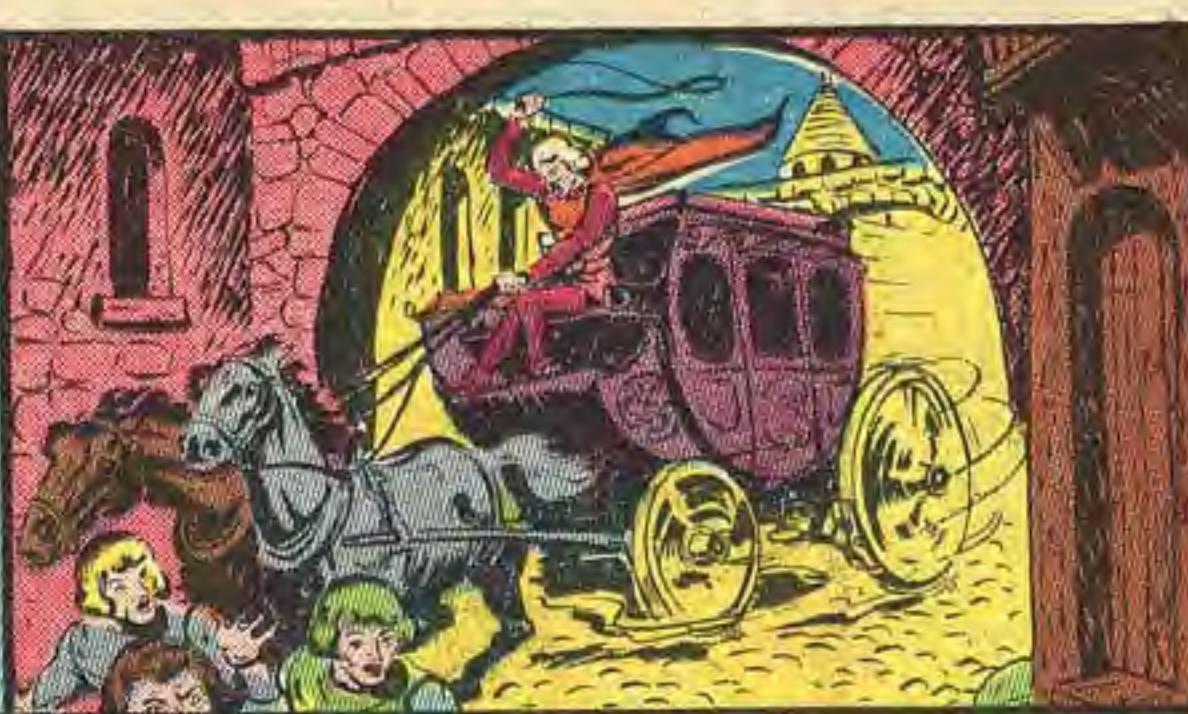
A SARACEN ENVOY HAS
JUST ARRIVED, SIRE! HE
WISHES AN AUDIENCE!

WHAT?

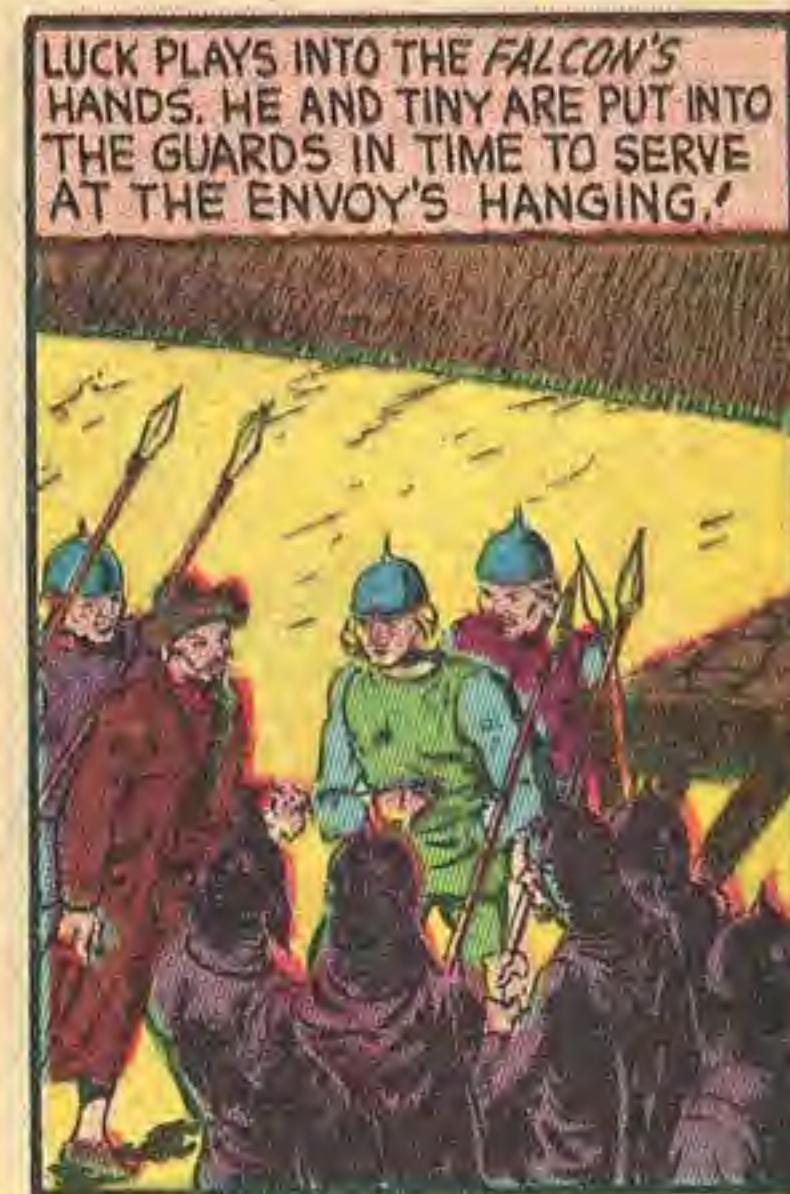
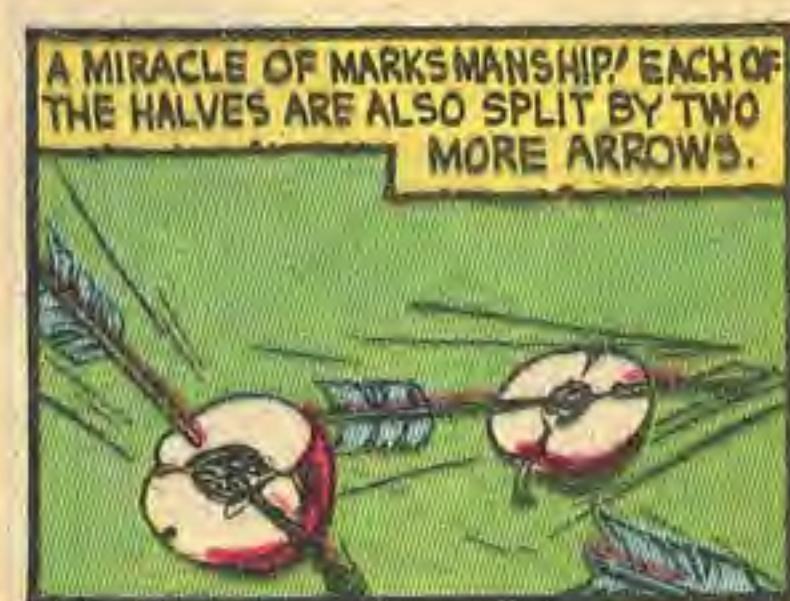




LATER, A
ROYAL CARRIAGE,
BEARING LADY
MARION, WARD
OF KING
RICHARD, AND
BELOVED OF
THE GREEN
FALCON,
MAKES ITS
WAY THROUGH
LONDON
TOWIN!







THEN AS THE ENVOY DROPS FROM THE GALLows,
THE FALCON FLINGS HIS SWORD
UNERRINGLY, AND—



TINY'S TERRIFIC STRENGTH IS BROUGHT INTO
PLAY AS HE CATCHES THE ENVOY IN MID-AIR



WHILE THE GUARDS ARE STILL CON-
FUSED BY THE UNEXPECTEDNESS OF
THE FALCON'S DARING —

JOLLY HAS NOT FAILED
US! HE HAS THE ROPEs
PREPARED AS WE
PLANNED! EACH OF
US WILL GRAB ONE!

THE FOUR FLEE ON THE HORSE-
DRAWN BUCKBOARD UNTIL —

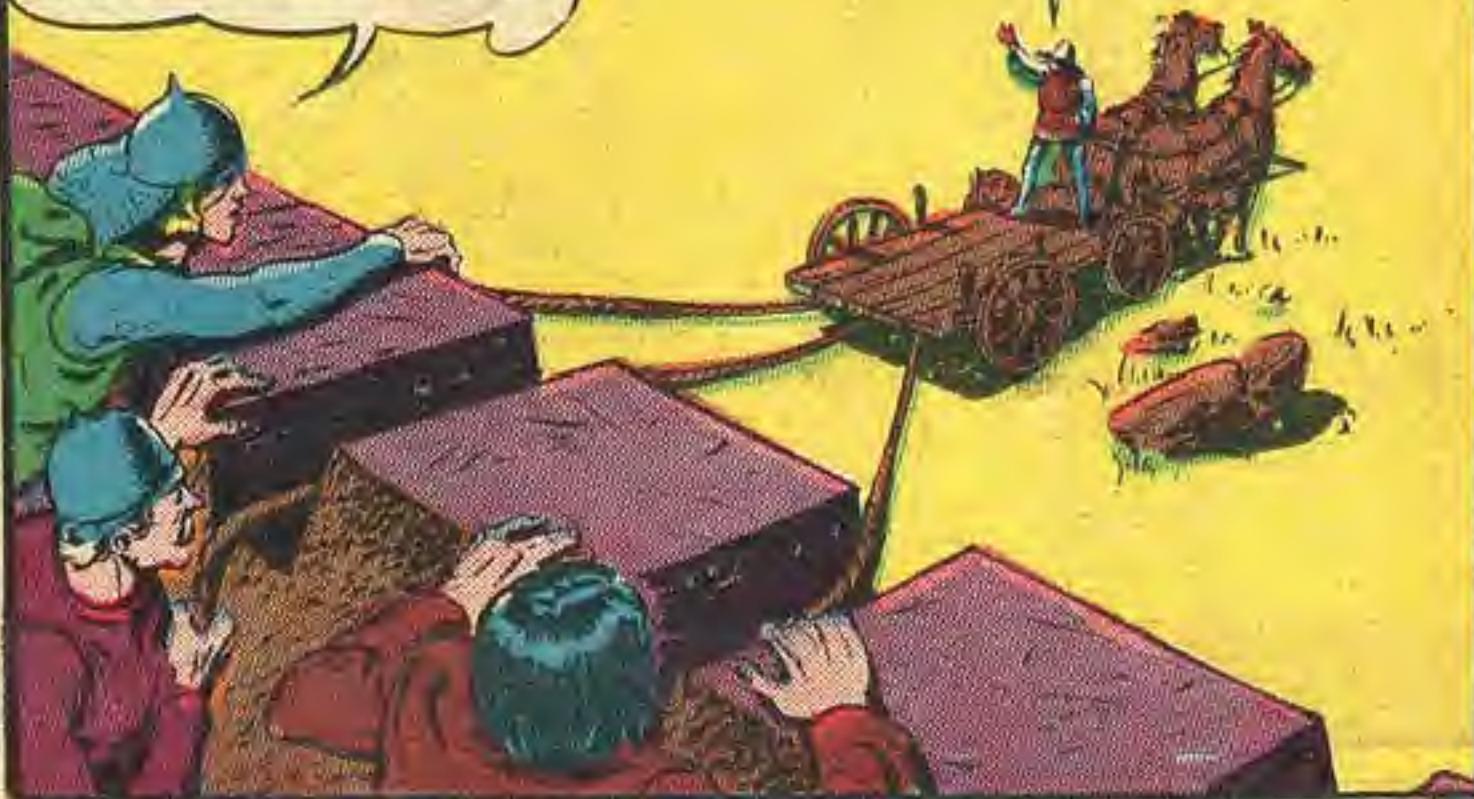
NOW JUMP FOR THE
BUSHES, QUICK! THE
GUARDS WILL SOON
OVERTAKE US!



ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE WALL

GOOD WORK, JOLLY! THE
HANGMAN WILL HAVE TO
FIND ANOTHER VICTIM!

HO, FRIENDS! OUR
STRATEGY WAS
EFFECTIVE, EH!



IT WORKED! THEY'RE
STILL CHAS-
ING THE
BUCKBOARD!
NOW WE CAN
DOUBLE BACK
AND ESCAPE!



I UNDERSTAND THE
TREACHEROUS JOHN'S
PLAN NOW, BUT DON'T
FEAR! YOUR LOYALTY
HAS SAVED YOUR
TRUE KING'S LIFE!



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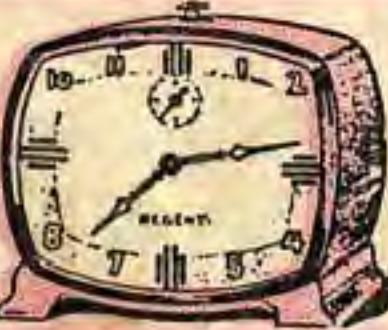
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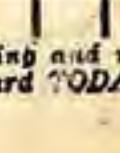
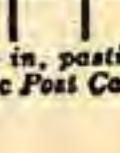
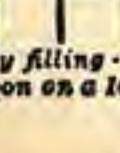
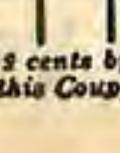
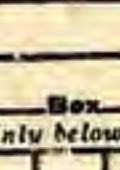
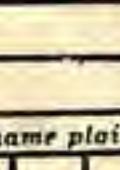
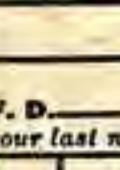
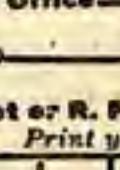
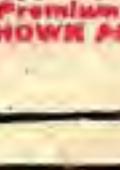
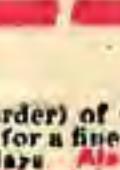
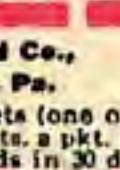
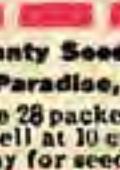
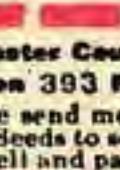
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